Weather
Overcast, rain. The maximum temperature yesterday was 60.6 and the minimum 49.4, the figures for the corresponding day last year being 59.4 and 41.

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KNOX MOVE FOR SEPARATE PEACE TO GO TO SENATE

Harding Approves Re-Introduction Of Resolution At Special Session

U. S. SENDS NEW NOTE

Hughes Concurs In Germany's Hope For Re-Opening Of Negotiations

(Reuter's Service)

Washington, April 4.—It is understood that President has approved the re-introduction of the so-called "Knox Resolution," providing for a separate peace with Germany, when Congress re-assembles next week, but it is not yet decided when the vote on the resolution will be pressed.

Washington, April 4.—The German Government recently sent an official letter to the American High Commissioner in Berlin, Mr. E. L. Dresel, declaring that Germany was willing to pay the reparations but expressing the hope that there would be a fresh discussion of the terms.

In reply to this letter, the State Department sent a communication to Mr. Dresel expressing the hope that negotiations would be re-opened between the Allies and Germany for a new schedule of reparations. The note concludes by saying that the United States proposes to stand by the Allies in enforcing just reparations. The State Department calls attention to the communications exchanged before M. Viviani's arrival in the United States.

This communication was despatched by Mr. Hughes, the Secretary of State, who plainly declared that the United States stood with the Allied Governments in holding Germany responsible for the war. Mr. Hughes expressed the opinion that the German memorandum which was signed by Dr. von Simons, the German Foreign Minister, indicated a sincere desire on the part of the German Government to re-open negotiations with the Allies on a new basis. He hoped that when such negotiations were resumed they would lead to a prompt settlement, satisfying the just claims of the Allies and permitting Germany hopefully to renew her productive activities.

Copies of both communications have been forwarded to the Allies.

Washington, April 5.—It is understood that Mr. Viviani was informed at a dinner given in his honor, at which a number of Senators, including most of the members of the Foreign Relations Committee of the Senate, were present, that the Harding Administration intended to terminate the state of war with Germany by Congressional resolution, and did not contemplate the entrance of Germany into the League of Nations, but that the United States would take no action that would in any way be helpful to Germany, especially in regard to reparations and the fulfilling of Germany's other peace obligations.

In a note handed to Mr. Dressel, the United States High Commissioner in Berlin, on March 23, Dr. von Simons, the Foreign Secretary, declared that an international loan, in favor of which the Allies would waive their mortgages on German wealth and her sources of revenue, constituted the only possible solution of the problem of Germany's rehabilitation.

London, April 4.—In the House of Commons today Mr. Charles White (Liberal) asked whether India or any of the Dominions had introduced or passed legislation similar to the German Reparations Act. Mr. Lloyd George replied that the answer was in the negative, except in the case of Newfoundland.

Replying to Mr. Frank Briant (Liberal) the Prime Minister stated that no agreement had been reached with the Allies regarding the allocation of payments under the Reparations Act.

"Harding Blue" Latest Popular Color

"HARDING blue," the new First Lady of the Land's favorite color, rules the new styles. The photo shows "The Mayflower," a charming sport coat of "Harding blue" chinchilla satin.

SALARIES BODY NOT YET THROUGH WITH DISCUSSIONS

Matter Of Superannuation For Municipal Employes Still Under Debate

The Municipal salaries commission, which has been sitting for some months in consideration of the matter of a general wage increase and other improved conditions among the Municipal staff, has not yet concluded its deliberations.

The matter still under discussion is understood to be that of superannuation, the importance of which has made it necessary for further debate. Practically all of the other matters for decision have been gone over and the report was submitted to the Council at last week's meeting. It is expected that the superannuation item will be finished with within a next few days, the commissioners being anxious to bring the completed report before the Council before the ratepayers' meeting of April 14.

Canton Legislators Petition For Election

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Canton, April 4.—One hundred and sixty members of Parliament here have suggested the immediate election of a President and the organisation of a formal Government for the Southwest.

Regulations have been drawn up to the following effect:

(1) The President shall exercise his duties and powers in accordance with the provisions of the regulations.

(2) The President shall be elected by the National Assembly in extraordinary session, one-half of the total number of votes being requisite for his election.

(3) The President shall take entire charge of the administrative affairs of the country, promulgate laws and mandates, and command the Army and Navy. In the case of contractual agreements in connection with the National Treasury, the agreements must be submitted to the National Assembly for consideration and approval, or otherwise they must be ratified and recognised afterwards.

(4) The President shall be the representative of the Chinese Republic vis-a-vis foreign countries.

(5) The Government of the Republic shall establish Ministries to take charge of the respective branches of public affairs. The Ministers shall be appointed and dismissed by the President.

(6) The regulations shall become effective from the date of their promulgation.

(7) From the day of the promulgation of these regulations the regulations for the organisation of the Military Government shall become null and void.

U.S. Makes Move For Army Air Force

(U. S. Navy Radio through Reuter)

Washington, April 2.—The first important move made since the armistice toward rehabilitation of the Army Air Service lies in the placement of orders by the War Department for two-hundred pursuing aeroplanes and thirty-five bombers.

NEW YAP NOTE

(Reuter's Service)

London, April 5.—The Daily Telegraph learns that Great Britain has received a note from Washington relating to the Yap question. The details of the communication however are not available.

NATIONS DEMAND FINAL RULING ON HAPSBURG ISSUE

"Little Entente," In Ultimatum, Asks Surrender Of Hungarian Territory

KARL TO RESUME EXILE

Will Return To Switzerland Immediately, Budapest Reports

(Reuter's Service)

Paris, April 3.—France's unmistakable attitude towards the ex-Emperor Karl's attempt has most favourably impressed Hungary's neighbours, especially Czecho-Slovakia and Jugo-Slavia. Some uneasiness is noticeable in Czecho-Slovak and Roumanian circles in view of Karl's protracted sojourn in Hungary and his efforts to secure the support of the military elements there.

Paris, April 4.—A telegram from Budapest announces that the ex-Emperor Karl will return to Switzerland immediately.

Prague, April 4.—The ultimatum of the "Little Entente" to Hungary threatens the recall of all diplomatic missions, the breaking off of relations and the execution of military measures which are in the course of preparation. The ultimatum adds that the "Little Entente" is determined to obtain from Hungary the final solution of the dynastic question, safe guarantees, the immediate surrender of west Hungary to Austria and the suppression of all irregular troops.

Vienna, April 5.—The ex-Emperor Karl's decision to return to Switzerland immediately was evidently hastened by the Swiss Government's intimation that his return was conditional on its not being unduly delayed and also by Austria's threat to cancel the safe conduct unless the time of his departure were promptly fixed. Karl is at present suffering from bronchitis, but profiting by a fall in his temperature, has announced that he will depart this morning.

A message from Lausanne states that the ex-Empress Zita has declared that, she, being the only person to know anything of her husband's plan, had made all the preparations for his journey.

MRS. F. J. RAVEN IS NEW HEAD OF WOMAN'S CLUB

Officers for the ensuing fall and spring terms were elected by the American Woman's Club yesterday afternoon at a well-attended meeting held in the Carlton Cafe. Upon the following members will fall the responsibility of leading the organisation during the coming year: president, Mrs. Frank J. Raven; vice-president, Mrs. M. F. Perkins; second vice-president, Mrs. H. P. Sailer; recording secretary, Mrs. R. T. Bryan, Jr.; corresponding secretary, Mrs. Philip H. Dunbar; treasurer, Mrs. R. B. Lunkley; librarian, Mrs. D. D. Paterson; directors, Mrs. F. R. Sites, Mrs. R. W. Squires; Mrs. N. E. Lurton; and Mrs. A. P. Parker.

The following members were added to the Courtesies Committee, to hold office for a three year period: Mrs. C. T. Linn, Mrs. G. T. Challoner, Mrs. R. K. Ashton, Mrs. G. T. Armstrong, and Mrs. J. H. Gray. As the election consumed considerable time, the choosing of new members for the publicity and membership committee was postponed until the next general meeting.

The new officers will formally begin service on July first, though the regular fall term will not open until next October. They will be greeted by the club at a reception which Mrs. James Macbeth and other members of the Courtesies Committee are to give at 170 Bubbling Well Road on April twelfth.

INDIA'S POPULATION

(Reuter's Service)

Delhi, April 4.—It is officially stated that the population of British India and the native states, according to the census taken on March 18th slightly exceeds 319,000,000 as compared with 315,000,000 in 1911.

Bombay, April 4.—Five thousand men belonging to the British India and Peninsular and Oriental Lines' dry dock have gone on strike.

NORWAY SEEKS PACT

(Reuter's Service)

Christiania, April 5.—The Norwegian Government has appointed four delegates to proceed to Stockholm to negotiate a trade agreement with the Soviet commissary, Kershentsheff.

CASUALTIES FOR QUARTER RISE TO 2,246 IN IRELAND

132 Military And Police Officers Killed In 3 Months

SITUATION IS WORSE

Figures Show Increase In Fatalities Over Previous Periods

(Reuter's Service)

London, April 4.—At question-time in the House of Commons today, Mr. Denis Henry, the Attorney General for Ireland, stated that the Sinn Fein outrages in Ireland for the quarter ended June 30 numbered 2,152. Twenty-nine police were killed and 37 wounded. In the quarter ended September 30, the outrages totalled 4,770, the police casualties being 53 killed and 86 wounded and military casualties 12 killed and 55 wounded. In the quarter ended December 31 the number of outrages had decreased to 1,726, the police casualties being 73 killed and 92 wounded. The military casualties were 34 killed and 61 wounded. In the quarter ended March 31 the total of outrages rose to 2,246, the police losing 88 killed and 156 wounded and the military 44 killed and 84 wounded.

Vancouver, April 4.—Mr. Osmond Esmonde, the Irish Home Ruler, has been arrested by order of the Mayor, and charged with addressing an Irish meeting after having promised to proceed direct to England. It was only by reason of this promise that he was allowed to land in Canada.

FRENCH TRAMWAY REPRESENTATIVE HERE THIS WEEK

Mr. L. Bridou Arriving On Amazon; Expect Negotiations Soon

Mr. L. Bridou, managing director of the Messageries Maritimes and emissary of the French tramways, light and water company, is expected to arrive in Shanghai Saturday or Sunday by the French Mail steamer Amazon. Negotiations between the French Municipal Council and the tramways company will be entered into as soon as possible after his arrival.

MRS. CRANE GIVES $20,000 TO GIRLS' EDUCATION FUND

American Minister's Wife Announces Gift Upon Leaving

(China Press Correspondence)

Peking, April 1.—As a parting gift to China Mrs. Crane, wife of the American Minister to Peking donated before her departure for America the sum of $10,000 gold for furthering the education of Chinese girls in the National Peking, the South Eastern and the Christian Peking universities. The terms of the scholarship in the three universities are practically the same. Each year an examination will be advertised and conducted by each university and from the candidates participating will be selected the seven of highest standing, each of whom will receive an annual allowance of $150.00 for six years from matriculation till graduation. In addition to this there will also be a short-term two-year class for the sole benefit of teachers of elementary and middle schools, as well as supplementary work, for which there will be the same annual allowance.

35 Killed In Train Smash-Up In Texas

(Reuter's Service)

Eagle Pass (Texas), April 4.—A freight and a passenger train collided today at Villagartra, between Parradon and Monterey. Thirty-five persons were killed.

MESOPOTAMIA'S RULER

(Reuter's Service)

London, April 5.—The Times learns from Cairo that there is good reason to believe that Emir Feisul has been offered Mesopotamia, although the British Government's view favors the choice of a ruler being left to the future Mesopotamian National Assembly.

Remarkable Scientific Instrument

DR. Harvey R. Foote, noted London specialist, demonstrated recently at the London College of Physiology a remarkable instrument, known as the polygraph. The instrument registers heart action, and will enable physicians to discover cases of heart failure, tuberculosis, heart murmurs and flutters. Tubes are attached to the wrist, neck and over the heart of the patient, and the machine draws three lines representing the action at each place. The photograph shows Dr. Foote registering a man's heart action with the aid of the polygraph.

Women Known By Their Beads

Variety Of Strange Necklaces Here Dazzles Even Old-Timers

No Longer For Officials Only

BY ELSIE McCORMICK

Pocahontas tricked out in the gala necklaces of her tribe had nothing whatever on the women of Shanghai. Neither have the slim princesses of the South Sea Islands whose wardrobe for an afternoon tea party consists of four strings of beads, shredded wheat skirt, and a hibiscus flower for the hair.

There are few places in the world where modern women have unpacked their vanity cases and made themselves at home that present such a variety of strange necklaces as does Shanghai. Go to any function and you'll see enough amber beads to steal the sap of a whole forest, enough ivory beads to make half a dozen elephants require false sets of teeth, and enough coral to make overworked coral polyps threaten to strike for an eight-hour day, with time and a half for overtime.

By their beads ye shall know them. In the dangling gaily tinted chains you can read the suppressed desire of the woman who hasn't had enough color in her life, or the subconscious yearnings of the respectable wife and mother who secretly believes that she is the reincarnation of one of the classic vampires of history but who doesn't dare express herself except through a string of vampish beads.

LOOKING BACKWARD

Then there are women whose youth has fled and who take refuge in pearls because their Number 1 Repressed Complex is the wish that time would throw a "cut-back" on the screen of life to the years when they were ingenues.

Scan the tourists in the Astor House lobby and you can tell their itineraries just as correctly as if you had read the labels on their baggage. The woman with the coral necklace combined with blue kingfisher feathers has been in Peking, she with the amber drop clumsily set in a gold chain has rambled through Korea, the one with the string of pink pearls stopped off at a Japanese port, and the lady with the ultra-white ivory probably took a side-trip to Canton.

Beads have been worn in China ever since the wild tribes that roved the hills of Han made necklaces out of their enemies' teeth. On the Bridge of Ten Thousand Ages in Foochow, this sort of chain is still worn by an outdoor dentist, a Chinese "Painless Parker" who uses it as Exhibit A in advertising his business.

Until the founding of the Republic, the ceremonial dress of Chinese officials included a chain of 108 beads, 72 of which were supposed to represent the various minerals, metals, and precious stones native to China. The remaining 36 indicated the constellations and planets that shed beneficent rays on the country. On the left side of each chain were two very short strings of smaller beads, intended to impress upon the wearer the reverence he owes his ancestors and filial piety due his parents. A similar string attached on the right side remind him of the loyalty he woes the throne.

NOT ONLY FOR OFFICIALS

The privilege of wearing [illegible] was not confined to [illegible] men of other classes having the right to purchase honorary rank. At temple fairs in Peking and in dusty Shanghai junk shops, one may still buy official beads, though the brightness of many chains suggests that they were manufactured by the same syndicate that bores worm-holes in antique furniture or shoots bullet marks in the German helmets bought by tourists.

The idea of wearing strings of beads to remind one of something seems to be a fairly good one, however. If Shanghai wives could only induce their matrimonial subordinates to follow the plan, a blue necklace worn by hubby might mean that he is to come home early and a yellow one might remind him through the day that he is to order a new list of canned goods on the way from the office.

Perhaps the most popular form of neck dress in the Orient is the chain of ivory bead. The amount of time required to saw and polish even one small bead makes one wonder that these chains aren't too expensive for anybody except a museum collector. In Canton, however, where practically all of them are made, they retail for as little as $3.50, Mexican. Amber beads are also cheapest there, though the unwary buyer must make sure that he is not buying something that started life as a beer-bottle. Real amber may be distinguished from glass by its warmth to the touch and its ability, some say, to pick up bits of paper over which it is rubbed. Canton is likewise the home of the mother-of pearl beads usually known as "cats' eyes," which skilful dyers produce in a myriad of shades.

NAPOLEON'S PRESENT

Strange and wonderful bargains may be picked up sometimes in the musty shops that line crooked back streets in Canton and Peking. There is a tale which has done good service as a dinner story but which thus far seems to have escaped verification. It is one of these stories which happened to the friend of one's cousin or to somebody that stayed in the hotel at the same time, like the ground glass in canned goods tales which saw so much active service during the war. However, it may have happened. We do not ban it on the ground of improbability.

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TRANSPORT MEN MAY JOIN STRIKE TODAY; MINERS USE VIOLENCE

British Miners Flood Pits, Drive Off Volunteer Workers; Situation Extremely Grave, And Government May Adopt Drastic Measures

ADMIRALTY CANCELS ALL LEAVE

Silence Of Union Leaders Gives Rise To Slight Hope That New Plan For Settlement Is Among Possibilities; Labor Members Ask Extension Of Control

(Reuter's Service)

London, April 4, 5:30 p.m.—The fact that leaders like Mr. J. R. Clynes, Mr. J. H. Thomas and Mr. Harry Gosling have been silent over the week-end is regarded as indicating that some move in the direction of peace may be made before the fateful decision of the "Triple Alliance on April 6. This is the only ray of hope in the gloom of the industrial crisis today.

Meetings of Scottish railwaymen at Glasgow, Edinburgh and Perth resolved to support the miners even to the extent of coming out on strike, thus following the example set at meetings at the large railway centers in England. The attitude of the railwaymen is that if they do not support the miners now they cannot expect help from the miners when the railways are decontrolled in August.

Serious reports of the flooding of pits in Scotland, England and Wales have been received today and a fire, due to the ignition of gases, is raging in one colliery at Neath. It is feared that the pit has been destroyed.

The threatening attitude of the miners in many coalfields is causing consternation amongst the volunteers. The Rhondda Miners' Association has decided that everyone, including the managers and officials, must cease work immediately. A crowd stoned the men who were guarding the colliery railway at Falkirk.

9:30 p.m.—The Gazette publishes a series of drastic regulations of very extensive scope, giving the Government power to take possession of and requisition food, forage, land, coal, coal mines, horses, vehicles, tramways, light railways, canals and their equipment, to regulate traffic at ports and harbors, to refuse the clearance of ships, to prohibit the unloading of any goods, to regulate the distribution, price and use of coal, gas, water, electricity and petrol, to prohibit in any area the buying, selling or possession of firearms, drilling, meetings or processions, and to employ His Majesty's forces in any service of vital importance to the community. The regulations give the police increased powers in regard to searches and the arrest of suspects without a warrant. Penalties with the maximum of three months hard labor or a fine of £100 can be imposed.

LEAVE CANCELLED

10 p.m.—The Admiralty has cancelled all leave. The decision of the Rhondda miners will have disastrous results if means are found to give it effect. The pits will be ruined within forty eight hours. Today the Dowlais Steel Works closed down, rendering a thousand people idle. Considerable difficulties are being experienced in keeping alive the pit ponies in many areas where, it is stated, the miners' officials are preventing the ostlers from working.

The South-Western Railway has cancelled two hundred trains from April 6, and other lines are making similar restrictions.

It is declared tonight that it is generally regarded as certain that the Triple Alliance will decide on Wednesday actively to support the miners. Although the attitude of the Transport Workers is not known definitely, it is understood that, owing to the prevalence of unemployment in their ranks, the unity of their Federation is problematical. In any case, the leaders of the Triple Alliance are expected to defer any strike order until they have made an effort to secure a peaceful settlement.

The outlook in the coalfields grows worse and worse, and as the result of threats, mass demonstrations and at least one instance of violence, the safety men are being compelled to leave the works. The evening papers state that a very truculent spirit is being exhibited in many areas in Scotland and Wales, while the Fifeshire men are inclined to lawlessness.

WOULD ARM MEN

At a meeting of miners at Wrexham, speakers urged that the Federation should not pay strike money but that it should arm all the miners who are ex-soldiers.

London, April 5.—Encouraged by Mr. Lloyd George's statement that the Government was anxious to investigate every prospect of a solution of the coal dispute, certain members of the Transport Workers' Union and prominent political members of the Labor Party, notably Mr. J. R. Clynes and Mr. Arthur Henderson, are advancing suggestions of a pacific character, principally for the extension of the period of control. These, however, can only succeed in staving off a strike of all branches of the Triple Alliance for a day or two if negotiations are not speedily re-opened.

The unions connected with the shipping trade yesterday announced their readiness to stop shipping in the event of the Triple Alliance deciding to favour a general cessation of work.

GREEKS RETREAT TO FORMER LINE

Turks Following Them Energetically, Casualties Number 5,000

(Reuter's Service)

Constantinople, April 4.—Confirmation has been received that the Greek retreat is general and that Greeks are retiring behind Usak to the lines held before the present offensive. Up to the present they have sustained 5,000 casualties and the Turks are reported to be following them up energetically.

Athens, April 5.—No communiques have been issued here for last three days.

The newspapers publish telegrams from Smyrna, attributed to a responsible source, to the effect that the Greek attack on Eskisher was merely a ruse to divert the Turks' attention from the Greek occupation of the railway at Afion Kara Hissar, by which means Turkish reinforcements from Cilicia were isolated from Angora. They claim that this manoeuvre was completely successful, and that, after the communications between Brussa and Angora had been cut, the Greek retired to their original positions with prisoners and booty.

Syracuse Professor Insane From Chagrin

(U. S. Navy Radio through Reuter)

Syracuse, N. Y., April 2.—The authorities here have expressed the belief that Professor Holmes Beckwith, who shot himself after shooting and killing Professor Wharton, a colleague in the Business Department of Syracuse University, was insane with chagrin over losing his position. He left letters which indicate an intention to commit suicide. It is believed that the shooting occurred after an argument over Professor Beckwith's dismissal. He was unpopular with the students, and his peculiarities are said to have made him the but of jokes on their part.

Rejected Immigrants Get Permit To Land

(Reuter's Service)

New York, April, 4.—Several hundred immigrants, mostly women and children, who were recently sent back from New York to Europe for having fraudulent passports will be returned here and permitted to land as instructions to this effect have been given to all the American consulates in Europe. Meanwhile, the State Department is investigating the source of the bogus papers.

FRENCH MINE ACCIDENT

(Reuter's Service)

Nimes, April 5.—Fourteen miners have been killed and ten injured through an explosion of firedamp in the Larbousset Pit belonging to the Trelis coalmines. It is feared that other bodies are buried in the debris.

MEETINGS CONFIRM AMALGAMATION OF COTTON MILLS

Resolutions confirming the scheme of amalgamation for the Ewo, Yangtszepoo and Kung Yik Cotton Spinning and Weaving Companies, were passed at meetings of the shareholders held yesterday at the offices of Messrs. Jardine, Matheson & Co., general managers.

Mr. A. Brooke Smith presided over the meetings, when the following resolutions were adopted —with the necessary minor alterations in the case of the two other companies:

Conditionally upon the confirming of similar special resolutions by the shareholders of the Kung Yik Cotton Spinning and Weaving Company, Limited, and the Yangtszepoo Cotton Mill, Limited.

1.—That it is expedient to effect an amalgamation of the company with the Yangtszepoo Cotton Mill, Limited, and with the Kung Yik Cotton Spinning and Weaving Company, Limited, and that with a view thereto this company be wound up voluntarily and that Frederick Newman Matthews, Fellow of the Institute of Chartered Accountants, and Eric Munro Ross, chartered accountant, both of 3D Peking Road, Shanghai, be and they are hereby appointed joint and several liquidators for the purpose of such winding up and that each of them, the said Frederick Newman Matthews and Eric Munro Ross, acting singly and without the other of them be and he is hereby authorised to exercise every power given to a liquidator in a voluntary winding up.

2.—That the said liquidators be and they are hereby authorised to consent to the registration of a new company to be named "Ewo Cotton Mills, Limited," with a memorandum and articles of association which have been already prepared with the privity and approval of the Consulting Committee of this company.

3.—That the draft agreement submitted to this meeting and expressed to be made between this company and its liquidators of the one part and Ewo Cotton Mills, Limited, of the other part, be and the same is hereby approved, and that the said liquidators be and they are hereby authorised pursuant to Section 185 of the Companies Ordinance 1911 of Hongkong to enter into an agreement with such new company (when incorporated) in the terms of the said draft and to carry the same into effect with such (if any) modifications as they think expedient.

The secretary having read the notices convening the meetings, the chairman said:

"This meeting has been called in compliance with the Companies' Ordinance to consider, and if thought fit, confirm the special resolutions which you have just heard read, and which were passed at the Extraordinary General Meeting held on March 21, 1921.

"The proposed scheme of amalgamation was fully explained at our last meeting, and I do not think it is necessary for me to make any further remarks, but before submitting the resolutions to you for confirmation, I shall be pleased to answer any questions, or with the assistance of Messrs. Hartopp and Matthews furnish any explanations that shareholders may require."

The same speech was made at each of the meetings and the resolutions in each case carried unanimously.

At the conclusion of the meetings, the chairman said:

"If these resolutions are confirmed at the other meetings to be held this morning, the liquidator is prepared to facilitate matters for shareholders by re-opening the transfer books of the old company for 3 days—from the 6th to the 8th of April inclusive."

Smiles from the Mixed Court

Being in rather a wolfish mood, Tsang Vung-ching stepped into a foodshop in the Western district, ordered an impressive quantity of provender and took off his long gown the better to enjoy his repast.

While Tsang was galloping through the menu there entered one Sung Ah-man, who made a stealthy survey of the establishment, slipped the diner's gown off the rack and slid silently outside. The proceedings went unnoticed by Tsang, but Tse Nyi-tsoong, who lives next door to the restaurant, happened to be watching and he raised the alarm and helped a C.P.C. to bag the fugitive.

Tse went along to the police station with the others and when Tsang waxed effusively grateful, told the latter not to mention it. He himself, he stated, had lost a gown in precisely the same way a few days before and so had grown watchful about such matters and was only too glad to be of assistance in bringing such malefactors as Sung to book.

About this time the constable in the station was giving Sung a thorough overhauling and produced from his pockets, among other things, a pawn ticket, descriptive of a satin long gown. The description struck Tse as strangely familiar. Excitedly he related his loss to the sergeant and armed with pawnticket and accompanied by a constable he paid a hurried visit to the pawnshop. Sure enough, there was his gown, hocked the day before by Sung, whom the pawnbroker readily identified.

Beyond telling the Court that he was at ordinary times a carpenter, Sung had nothing to say to the double charge and accepted his three months' sentence with a shrug expressive of the futility of attempting to dodge such a mean stroke of luck as Fate had dealt him.

AS BETWEEN FRIENDS

Loong Hung-yui ran afoul of the gendarmerie as he was sneaking out of the side door of a house in Kashing Road attempting to button his jacket over a roll of bedding. The bedding belonged to Hoo Sung-sai, who, when he learned of narrow margin whereby it remained to him wanted Loong sent to the arsenal and shot.

"But," Loong protested to the Court, "Hoo is an acquaintance of mine. Anyway I wasn't going to steal the bed. I was just going to pawn it for a while."

The impounding idea appealed to the Court and Loong is in for a fortnight.

OVERSEAS LEAGUE

American women who served abroad as war workers are invited to attend a meeting of the Women's Overseas League to be held in the Navy Y.M.C.A. at 5:15 this afternoon. Mrs. C. T. Owens will give an address on her war experiences, to be followed by a business session.

A new president will be chosen to take the place of Miss Caroline Thompson, who recently resigned. The Navy Y.M.C.A. has requested that the members remain after the meeting to attend a special supper and entertainment given for the navy men.

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At The Theaters

A. D. C.

Local talent will scintillate next Friday and Saturday nights when the A.D.C. makes its bow at the Lyceum Theater in its 187th production—A. A. Milne's three-act comedy, "Belinda," preceded by a curtain-raiser, "The Boy Comes Home." The first performance will be open to members only, giving the general public only one opportunity to cheer on the geniuses of the old home town. The crowded schedule of coming attractions at the Lyceum Theater does not allow the A.D.C. more than two days. "Belinda" is a comedy that presents peculiar difficulties to the actors, in that its humor is subtle and its situations of the startling variety. Past experience, however, leaves little doubt as to the organisation's ability to bring out the high-spots in the play without the aid of hysterics.

BANVARD COMPANY

"Coming Down" refers not to the rate of exchange or to Shanghai room-rent, but to the vaudeville medley of beauty, ballads and burlesque to be offered to the Shanghai public next Friday, Saturday, and Sunday by the Banvard Musical Comedy Company at the Olympic Theater. Tonight and tomorrow night the bill features "Plums for Picking." The names of the productions matter little, for a chorus lady recently from home is good to look at under any title.

Shanghai playgoers will be pleased to hear that Mr. Douglas MacLaren of the Banvard Company who has been in the Hospital since the day he arrived here with a slight fracture of his leg will make his first appearance tonight.

AT THE APOLLO

Commencing tomorrow night the Apollo Theater will feature "Passers By," a film of the less highly-seasoned type which make its appeal through delicacy of presentation rather than through the woes of a heroine stranded on a high railroad bridge. There will be no advance in prices. Tonight's program consists of The Light of Western Stars with Dustin Farnum in the leading role.

SHANGHAI IN MOVIES

Further adventures of Marie Walcamp in Shanghai and the surrounding country will be shown tonight and tomorrow night at the Isis Theater, in two more episodes of "The Dragon's Net." Scenes actually taken in this city, aided and abetted by an extraordinary plot, make the picture one of unusual interest. Included on the program is the "Light of Victory," a war drama in five parts.

VICTORIA THEATER

The Victoria Theater is presenting "The Snow Bird," a six-part Metro feature.

BANDMAN COMING

Booking for the Bandman season open at Moutrie's Monday next, and theater-goers who intend patronising this wellknown show will be interested to learn that two noted London artists in the persons of Jerry Verno and Dora Dolaro, have just arrived in Hongkong from London to add still further to the strength of the Company.

Mr. Bandman has had many competitors seeking to obtain the reproduction right of the numerous London successes he is now producing but he was fortunate in not only securing them for himself but also in purchasing the whole of the original costumes of the revues and musical comedies that constitute his repertoire.

The augmented orchestra will be conducted by Mr. Jean Desormes. New scenery has been specially painted at the Hemsley Studios, London, and nothing has been left undone in order to make the tour an even greater success than anything Mr. Bandman has attempted before.

WOMEN KNOWN BY THEIR BEADS

(Continued from Page 1)

though we produce no affidavits with it.

The story concerns a woman—some dinner-table raconteurs make it a missionary—who bought an odd necklace of slightly clouded crystal in a junk-shop of Peking. Returning to America, she went to a jeweler's to have a watch repaired. Immediately attracted by the necklace, the jeweler asked to examine it. He came back from his inner sanctum highly excited, offering the woman $1,000 in United States currency for the string. When she asked for the reason of its value, he refused to tell her but increased the price to $5,000. Mystified but determined to get her money's worth, the woman refused to sell. She took her treasure to one of the largest jewelry houses in America, where she finally disposed of it for $10,000. After the sale had been concluded, the jeweler told her that she had come into possession of one of the historic necklaces of the world for which dealers throughout five continents had been searching for years. He then showed her with a magnifying glass the engraving on every bead, "From Napoleon to Josephine."

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Judah I. Ezra, Bankrupt, Owes Over Tls. 3,506,000

Public Examination Shows No Secured Creditors; Lost Money Gambling On Exchange And Shares; Owes Ellis Ezra More Than Tls. 2,000,000

Rated at Taels 100,000 two years ago, one year ago a millionaire or better, today a bankrupt, with liabilities of more than three and a half million taels, and but sixteen hundred taels as assets—

This is the condition of Judah Isaac Ezra's financial affairs, as revealed at the public examination held in the British Supreme Court yesterday. Judge Skinner Turner heard the complicated tale of Far Eastern frenzied exchange finance and a number of unsecured creditors representing the millions lost in speculation, were present. The bankrupt told his story of wealth gained and lost and then was grilled by the court and his creditors.

The chief creditor of the bankrupt is his own brother. His indebtedness in his own family over [illegible] taels. The list of creditors, all unsecured follows:

Ellis I. Ezra Tls. 2,066,572.64 (sterling loss).

Ellis I. Ezra Tls. 43,238.90 (loans and exchange).

Nederlandsche Indische Bank Tls. 495,131.37 (sterling-loss).

Netherlands Trading Society 90,632.87 (promissory note for sterling loss).

Benjamin and Potts (not proved) 468,715.18 (share loss).

H. E. Morriss 102,339.73 (promissory note for share loss).

J. J. Judah 14,231.49 (promissory note for share loss).

Philippine Bank (not proved) 225,613.25 (sterling loss).

KNEW HE WAS GAMBLING

The examination brought out an expose of some methods of dealing in exchange, of "buying" securities, of pledging same before they were delivered, of paying for such stocks with loans contracted thereon. Speculation was the motive, pure and simple the bankrupt admitted. He had sold sterling which he had never bought, and never intended to buy; he had bought shares "on a sporting chance"—shares that he had never seen. He had borrowed large sums from local banks, on no security, and when the day of reckoning came, he had not the money to pay. He knew he was gambling, he said, and everyone else knew it.

Mr. Ezra was the first to take the stand in the examination. He gave his age as 29, he had no occupation, he said. He had been out of employment for four months, because he had gotten into "this mess." No one wished to employ him. He is living on money furnished, now and then, by his brother, Ellis.

Previously a clerk for the Edward Ezra and Company and eight or nine years ago with W. Hewitt and Company, Mr. Ezra testified that he had never acted as a merchant or had any business necessitating his dealing in large amounts of exchange. He could not say whether his creditors knew his financial position today or not.

DETAILS SPECULATIONS

Continuing Mr. Ezra outlined his beginnings in speculations. He had some money until last fall, he said. But in last October, about two months before certain contracts were due, when asked for margins, he was forced to acknowledge his inability to protect.

About two years ago, Mr. Ezra continued, he began to speculate on a small scale. His assets then were about Taels 100,000. When his brother Edward was away last year he held his power of attorney but this, he maintained, was not used in any of these transactions. The debt to his brother Ellis was incurred by the latter taking over his contracts with the banks. Ellis was held responsible, he said. Asked which banks were concerned, Mr. Ezra gave the names of the Asia Bank, the Bank of Taiwan and the Bank of Chosen.

In the exchange slump a year ago, Mr. Ezra estimated his "paper" wealth at more than a million. His losses came with the fall of exchange. His debts, for the most part were assumed by his brother Ellis, he said. The Court asked whether it were true that Judah and Ellis Ezra had shifted funds and securities back and forth, when a tight fix threatened. The witness admitted that one "small" transaction of several thousand tae'ls had so been handled.

JUDGE IS CAUSTIC

A transaction involving 3,950 Shanghai Cotton Co. shares, in which the debtor dealt with Mr. H. E. Morriss was taken up. The shares had been bought at different rates and later Mr. Ezra had approached Mr. Morriss with the view of having them turned over to a later settlement and to lend money on them.

"Did you ever have the scrip?" the Court asked.

"No."

"Were there ever such shares at all?"

"There must have been."

"Did you know for a fact that there were such shares on the market?"

"There were lots of cottons on the market."

"Did you pay for them—the full price?"

"Yes."

"And yet you just told us that you were not able to take them up."

"You do not understand" was the reply.

"No" the Court answered, "I confess I am not conversant with this method of finance."

Mr. Ezra, explaining this share deal, continued that he had paid in full for the shares, to the brokers, Benjamin and Potts, with money borrowed from Mr. Morries, with a little of his own added.

A matter of 100 Orientals, purchased from Mr. J. J. Judah, through a friend, was brought about, witness said, through the broker's recommendation that the shares were a very good investment, put up to him as "a sporting man, willing to take a sporting chance on their going up."

Promissory notes given to the Brother Ellis, totalling Taels 43,238 were discussed. The notes had been given for advances of cash which Judah obtained for payment to different banks which were pressing him.

INSOLVENT SINCE AUGUST

The witness denied that he had made any transference of property or substantial gifts during the past two years. "Only small amounts had so been disposed of, he said.

"What do you mean by small amounts?" the Court asked.

"Taels 1,000 to 2,000," was the reply. He would not remember gifts up to Tls. 2,000, he said.

Witness continued that while he was not solvent since last June to August, he had not contemplated bankruptcy until the beginning of March.

Mr. Charles McGuire, representing Mr. H. E. Morriss was the first creditor to question the debtor, Mr. Ezra. He suggested that Judah had intimated that the brother Edward would guarantee Judah's transactions, that Judah had made an offer to give certain security and to sign Edward's name, but the witness denied, again, on his honor, that these suggestions were true, His failure to fulfill the share contract, witness stated, was due to a mistake in accounting. He did not know until he summed up the day before settlement that he had overestimated his shares.

WITNESS ADMITS GAMBLING

The Court asked: "In fact, you never had any shares at all—you had only the contracts?"

Mr. Ezra: "Yes."

"You were gambling in shares?"

"Yes."

Mr. McGuire: "I want to get back to the business with your brother. Mind you are on your oath. Is it not the case that one of you was lending securities to the other one day and the next day the other came to the relief? Was not a dip into the till made to help your brother Ellis out? He was in difficulties last March, wasn't he? Did you not part with these securities to help Ellis?"

"No."

"Were you not playing an in and out game? When you were in trouble he came forward, and vice versa? Was there not an intricate business between you two?"

"There was no tricky business."

The Court: "You got the hard cash from Morriss on the security of these shares. Then before the loan fell due you made an arrangement with somebody else that you would transfer these shares to them if they would pay the sum off to Morriss?"

"Yes."

Mr. McGuire: "I want to see how Morriss, who has paid hard cash, stands against these other creditors. As for your brother—as far as your brother is concerned these loans are book entries. Was the Tls. 2,000,000 a cash transaction?"

"No, no cash; but he is responsible. My account with the bank is tracts with other banks."

BANKS NOT PAID

"Do you suggest that your brother has paid the banks Tls. 2,000,000?"

"No."

"Has he paid them anything?"

"I do not know. I know he has an arrangement with them.

The Court: "You cannot owe him more than he pays the banks on the contracts he takes over."

Mr. Ezra however, contended that he must owe his brother what he must pay the banks on the contracts.

Mr. J. Reitsma, for the Netherlands Trading Society, brought up again Mr. Ezra's statement that his company was aware that Mr. Ezra was gambling. The statement, he said, was untrue.

The court asked Mr. Ezra again: "Do you say they knew you were gambling?" and the answer again was in the affirmative. "They knew." Mr. Ezra stated. "everybody knew I was gambling." Mr. Reitsma contended that when he had asked Mr. Ezra for security the latter had replied "Oh, yes. I have money enough; I have conclosed."

BANKS KNEW ASSETS

The Court asked a specific question: "When these contracts for £85,000 were made had you any reason to think they knew you were gambling?"

"I think they knew. It was everyday practice for people in Shanghai to speculate on the exchange."

Mr. Reitsma advised that he was forced unwittingly to carry on Mr. Ezra's gambling but, had he known that the dealings were mere gambling, he would have bought the sterling himself to legitimise the transaction.

"You knew perfectly well you were insolvent" Judge Skinner Turner addressed the debtor. "You cannot shut yourself up in a box and say you are insolvent on share contracts and solvent in exchange contracts. You told this man in October when you knew you were insolvent that your exchange transactions showed a profit."

Mr. H. J. Vermey, of the Nederlandsche-Indische Handelsbank, asked Mr. Ezra whether, when he closed his contracts with that bank, he told his broker he had a profit on these contracts because they were only covering contracts on previous purchases. Mr. Ezra denied.

"How much were these contracts?" asked the Court.

The contracts in question totalled £165,000.

The examination, after further questioning on the part of several creditors, was closed.

Judgment Awarded For Large Amount In Indigo Dye Suit

Edward Maurer Co. Given G.$125,000 And Mex. $33,500

Judgment for G. $125,333.33 and Mex. $33,552.90, with interest, was given by the Mixed Court in favor of Messrs. Edward Maurer, Inc., against Mr. Chu Wei-ching, compradore of the Philippine National Bank and known as the "Indigo King." The defendant, trading as Teh Chang and Co., was sued on a contract made with plaintiffs for G. $300,000 worth of indigo dye.

Mr. H. D. Rodger appeared for the complainants and Messrs. Fleming, Davies and Bryan for the defendant.

The plaintiffs contended that the defendant did not take up the cargo and that after the matter had been submitted to the American Chamber of Commerce for arbitration he refused to abide by that body's award.

Five Men Charged With Big Bank Fraud

The embezzlement of Tls. 170,000 and $69,000 from the Zang Chong Bank, 49 Ningpo Road, was charged to five men who appeared yesterday in the Mixed Court before Assessor Tenney and Magistrate Tsang.

One of the accused, an accountant, was arrested two months ago, the others being into custody since that time after large rewards had been offered.

Mr. S. H. McKean appeared to prosecute and Messrs. Sterling Fessenden, H. D. Rodger, K. E. Newman and Dr. Fischer appeared for the defendants. On Mr. McKean's announcement that he was willing to withdraw the charge against one of the men Dr. Fischer asked his release, but the Court declined, stating that a ruling in the matter will be given Friday, when the case comes on for hearing.

Famine Fund Here Over $450,000 Mark

Subscriptions for famine relief aggregating in the neighborhood of $450,000 have thus far been accounted for by the committee which was in charge of the local relief drive. This sum has been indicated by some half-a-dozen of the twenty-two organisations engaged in obtaining contributions here and it is expected that there will be considerably over half a million shown when the returns have all been tabulated.

The greatest individual effort reported is that of the Chinese Women's Relief Association, which has turned in figures totaling approximately $160,000.

Following this society in the list is the Chinese-Foreign Relief Committee, which stands credited with about $130,000. A Chinese benevolent association, known as the Tsi Sen-hwi, occupies third place, with the reported solicitation of $104,000. The proceeds of the students' tag day figure out at something over $20,000, allowing for discounted currency, while the girls of the Y.W.C.A. have obtained $6,900 and the American Woman's Club has reported $1,300.

The drive committee is engaged now in obtaining the reports of the other organisations.

PLAGUE SITUATION

(China Press Correspondence)

Tsinan, Shantung, April 3.—No deaths having occurred in the Shantung and Chihli plague districts for a week and the more recent ones having been in segregation hospitals the epidemic may be considered to be at an end. The restrictions on passenger traffic now in force on the Tientsin Pukow Railway are likely soon to be abolished.

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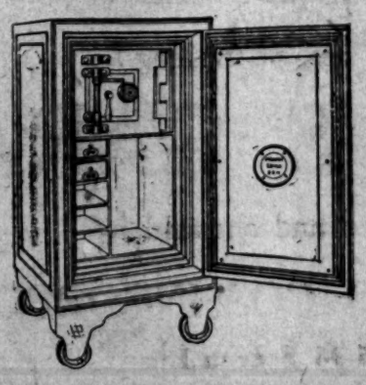

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	New	Old
Iron & steel (per ton)	$16	$20
Machinery (per ton)..	18	22
Automobiles (per ton).	18	20
Tobacco (per 100 lbs.)	1.75	2

To meet the competition, the Pacific Freight Conference has also reduced freight rates from San Francisco and Seattle to the Far East as from March 18:

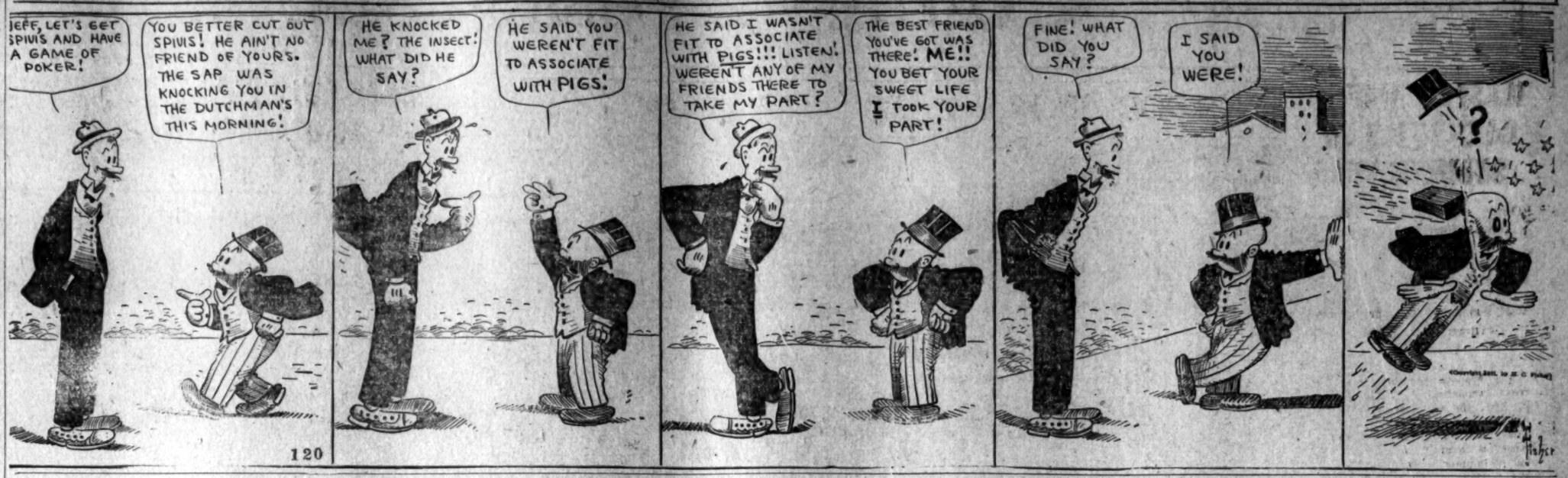
	New	Old
Iron & steel (per ton)	$5.88	$6.50
Machinery (per ton).	9.00	14.00
Automobiles (per ton)	8.00	8.00
Tobacco (per 100 lbs.)	.75	.30

This information is also contained in a telegram received by the Nippon Yusen Kaisha, and it does not seem that any reduction has been made in the rate on automobiles.

In Japan a proposal to organise a new freight conference is on the tapis. Its scope is to cover Korean trade and shipments from the maritime provinces of Siberia, the object being to prevent a decline in freight rates and to safeguard the field against invasion by ocean-going ships which are now hard up for want of ocean cargo.

Shipments in Korea and the maritime provinces have somewhat increased of late, and an increased number of vessels are being detailed for these shipments. On other lines cargo is generally scarce, and there is bound to occur competition in the carrying trade in those regions. Such competition will naturally compel a decline in freight rates. Moreover, many large vessels are returning from abroad in March and April, as they are unable to find new charterers or cargo. The amount to about 350,000 tons, and it is expected that at least some of them will be employed in the near-sea service. This is a serious menace to the ships now engaged in carrying cargo from or to Korea and the maritime provinces. In order to protect their interests, the shipping companies are now discussing a proposal to form a freight conference.—*Japanese Advertiser.*

MUTT & JEFF — What's So Rare As A Hundred Per Cent. Friend? — By Bud Fisher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Elcano Minstrels To Show Friday

Officers and men of the U. S. S. Elcano will be hosts at a minstrel show and vaudeville entertainment to be given next Friday night at 9:00 p.m. in the Navy Y.M.C.A. Building. The proceeds from the admission charge of one dollar will be used for the benefit of the American Woman's Club welfare work and for the Asiatic Branch of the Navy Relief Association, which cares for indigent mothers, wives, and children of deceased officers and men belonging to the United States Navy and Marine Corps.

The Elcano Minstrel Show, given successfully in Nanking and other cities, comprises a complete darky line-up in costume, spiced with jazz, funny dialogues and monologues, and a hula dance. Tickets may be obtained from members of the Social Department of the American Woman's Club, Squires and Bingham's at 17 A Nanking Road, or at the Navy Y.M.C.A., 6 Avenue Edward VII.

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Music for the above will be furnished by the "Oriental Hawaiian Orchestra" in the key of "Asia Minor."

New Sino-French Bank In Peking

(*China Press Correspondence*)

Peking, April 1.—Of financial importance is the information that a group of French capitalists, in co-operation with Chang Tso-lin, director-general of the Tobacco and Wine Administration and a number of other Chinese well known in the official and financial Chinese world, are promoting a Sino-French Industrial Bank, registration of which has already been granted. The capital, fixed at $10,000,000, is to be subscribed by Chinese and French in equal shares. The head office of the bank, which will be located on Legation street, Peking, will be formally opened to business within a few days, while preparations are under way for the establishment of branch offices in treaty ports.

WOOD BEGINS TRIP

(*U. S. Navy Radio through Reuter*)

Chicago, April 2.—General Leonard Wood has left here for Seattle where he will embark for the Philippines.

BERTRAND RUSSELL BETTER

(*Reuter's Pacific Service*)

Peking, April 5.—There is a slight improvement today in the condition of the Hon. Bertrand Russell, though he is not yet out of danger.

CRANE TO VISIT NINGPO

(*China Press Correspondence*)

Hangchow, April 4.—Hon. Charles M. Crane, the American Minister, left Hangchow this morning for Shaw-shing. In the party were the minister's son, Mr. John Crane, Captain Brodie, Dr. Stanley Hornbeck, J. L. Boret Maury and Dr. and Mrs. Robert Fitch. A visit will be made at the tomb of the Emperor Yii at Shaw-shing. Ningpo will be visited and the remainder of the week will be spent at Pu Tu.

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News Brevities

The Executive Committee of the Good Roads Movement of China met yesterday, at the Carlton Cafe for the purpose of discussing the future plans of the organisation. It was decided to hold a large mass meeting in May to which invitations would be issued. Reports of the chairmen of the various committees were read and these showed that a good deal of constructive work has already been done.

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Reverend Evan Morgan acknowledges with thanks the following sums received for Shensi famine relief: Mr. G. H. Perrain, $15; Dr. L. S. Abbey, San Bernardino, California, per Dr. G. F. Fitch, $20; Mrs. E. M. Hide, Haslemere, England, Taels 25.

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Mr. K. Yamasaki, Japanese Consul-General in Shanghai left here for Japan yesterday on short leave.

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In honor of Mr. de Rossi, the Italian Consul-General, who is leaving on furlough on April 30, Mr. C. F. Hsu, Commissioner of Foreign Affairs, will give a banquet at the Naval Club, 100 Bubbling Well Road, on April 12.

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Shareholders of the Taiping Rubber Estates, Ltd., will meet at the office of Messrs. Hopkins, Dunn and Company, Ltd., on April 20 at 4.30 o'clock.

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The Great Eastern Company, in liquidation, will hold an extraordinary general meeting at the office of Messrs. Seth, Mancell and McLure on Friday, April 22, at 2:20 p.m.

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Though repeatedly warned by the police, the operator of a foundry in Woochang Road persisted in placing red hot castings upon that thoroughfare to cool, thereby putting a considerable crimp in traffic. Yesterday he was fined $3 by the Mixed Court and promised to cool his metal elsewhere in future.

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The proprietors of opium dens at 106 Stone Bridge Road and 102 Wuhu Road were sentenced to a month's imprisonment each by the Mixed Court yesterday. Ten patrons of the two places were assessed $3 each.

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Charges of attempting to bribe two Chinese police constables to protect eleven opium shops in the Hongkew district were brought in the Mixed Court yesterday against a tailor alleged to have acted as emissary for the proprietors of the shops. It is alleged that the defendant offered $280. The case was remanded for further hearing.

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An inspirational address by Miss Ruth Paxson on "The Place of Intercession in the Life of a Missionary" was the principal feature of the Shanghai Missionary Association meeting, held last night in the Sunday-school auditorium of the Union Church. A resolution pledging $600 a year from the Association to the Shanghai Moral Welfare Committee was passed by the meeting, following an appeal and statement of the committee's work, by its vice-chairman, Mr. John Crowfoot. The Moral Welfare Committee is seeking to raise a budget of $10,000 a year, covering the expenses of office space, exhibit material, propaganda, and the salaries of a foreign and a Chinese worker. Mr. J. Cariss was unanimously elected an honorary member of the Shanghai Missionary Association.

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Members of the American Woman's Club and their friends are invited to attend a meeting of the Mothers' Department to be held in the Carlton Cafe at 10:30 this morning. Mrs. F. J. White of the Shanghai Baptist College will read a paper on "Hobbies," discussion being led by Mrs. W. W. Lockwood and Mrs. W. P. Strickland. A review of Freeman's "How Children Learn" will be presented by Mrs. M. C. Guss. Mrs. W. G. Hiltner, chairman of the department, will preside.

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Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Nazer celebrated their fifteenth wedding anniversary with a dinner at the French Club Monday night. Forty persons attended and congratulated the couple.

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Mrs. L. H. Drakeford and her children left for Wuhu on the Ngankin yesterday.

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Mr. and Mrs. Wykeham of the Denniston Company and Mr. G. B. Pattison left on the Sinkiang for Hongkong yesterday.

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Among the passengers who left on the Yamashiro Maru for Kobe yesterday were Mr. C. W. Rankin, Mr. A. R. Blanchard and Mr. P. C. Hansson.

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Mr. H. B. Lane will speak on "Motors and Their Control" at the eighth meeting of the Engineering Society of China on April 12 at 5:30 p.m.

Ratepayers Notify Council Of Action

Chinese Officially Communicate Decision To Withdraw Objectionable Clause

The decision of the Chinese ratepayers in Shanghai to cancel article six of the constitution of the Chinese Ratepayers' Association reached at a meeting held on Monday at the Town Hall was communicated to Mr. N. O. Liddell, secretary of the Shanghai Municipal Council yesterday by Dr. C. T. Wang, chairman of the association.

The article was the only subject of objection raised by the Council in submitting the names of the five members of the Advisory Board, elected by the association to the Council, to the Consular Body for approval.

The advisors are Mr. Sun Hanchang, Mr. H. Y. Moh, Mr. K. P. Chen, Z. T. Yui and Mr. Y. S. Ziar.

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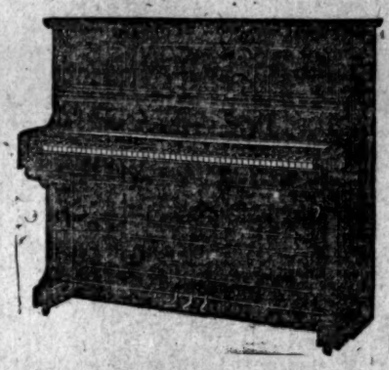

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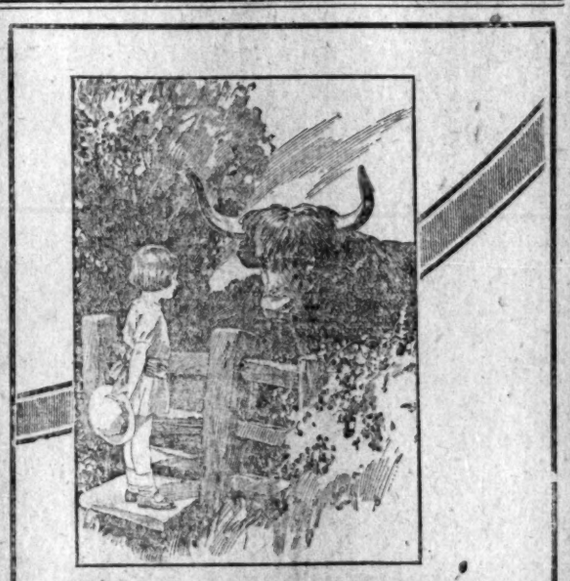

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WASEDA NINE GOES TO U.S. ON SUMMER TOUR

Three American College Teams Plan Trips To Far East This Year

INDIANA WANTS TO COME

Will Probably Be Here With Harvard Next Year, Coach Says

The Waseda University baseball team, consisting of 12 players, Dr. I. Abe, the manager, and Mr. T. Tobita, the coach, sailed from Yokohama on the Koren Maru for America to spend the Spring and early Summer in that country playing various college and university teams. They will play a series in Hawaii first, landing finally at San Francisco April 30.

One or more games have already been scheduled with 18 of the larger colleges and universities, most of them in Eastern states. The games will open with a series with Chicago University, and that school is now trying to fill in the open dates with schools not already scheduled on the Japanese university's program. They will return to Tokio July 29.

While in America Doctor Abe will endeavor to get one of the schools to send its team to Japan for a late Summer series.

It seems definite now that the University of California baseball team will arrive sometime next month to spend the Summer in Japan, China, Korea and the Philippine Islands. Nineteen men will make the trip. The proposed trip of Stanford University, as far as can be learned, is still undecided.

Officials of the Far Eastern Games in Shanghai are trying to get the two schools to visit here during the athletic meet and stage a series of games in addition to the series that they had tentatively agreed to play in Tokio if the trip was made.

The University of Washington team will leave Seattle late this month for a several months' stay in the Far East. No definite information has been received here. Several of the Japanese schools say, however, that they had corresponded with the University of Washington management who wanted to make the trip, and that it was likely that they would come. The Shanghai officials are also trying to get them to visit that city during the Far Eastern Games.

George Levis, head baseball coach at the University of Indiana, recently announced that the administration of that school was considering sending their team to the Orient in 1922 to play a return series with Waseda University and to also play other teams with which games could be scheduled.

"We are going to send the Indiana nine on a training trip in the South during Eastern vacations, and if this trip is successful a trip to Japan in 1922 is not beyond expectations," said Lewis.

Harvard University also plans to visit the Far East in 1922.

Williams Athlete All-America Choice

'Hal' Brown Is Named Best Two Miler

The case of "Hal" Brown of Bernardsville, N. J., captain of last year's Williams track team, who has been named All-American choice for the two mile run, is an unusual one, for this sterling athlete never had donned a spiked shoe previous to entering college. To Charles F. Seeley, coach, who has been in charge of the Purple cinder path squad for a number of seasons past, belongs the chief credit for developing him.

During the fall of his freshman year at Williams Brown was uncertain whether to give his attention to cross-country or football. His lack of weight resulted in the Purple hill and dalers receiving his attention. Seeley saw great possibilities in his new recruit and worked him slowly all winter until the arrival of the track season the following spring. Brown then proved himself a "find," for he not only won the two mile event for the Purple team in its dual meets with Amherst and Wesleyan, but also came through at the New England intercollegiate meet. The following fall Brown added to his laurels by winning the New England intercollegiate cross-country championship.

At the outbreak of the war with Germany Brown was one of the first of the Williams athletes to join the colors. He enlisted in the Aviation Corps and, after a period of training, qualified as a flyer. During the latter part of the war he was attached to the American Flying Corps in Italy.

With the signing of the armistice Brown returned to Williams to complete his course and added new honors which culminated in his capture of the two mile run at the national intercollegiates in Philadelphia last spring.

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BRITISH SPORTS FAIL TO ENTHUSE OVER KING'S RACE

Think Proposed Ocean Contest Would Interfere With Cowes Attraction

British sportsmen are not enthusiatstic over the proposal of King Albert of Belgium for a yacht race from Sandy Hook to Ostend next July. As a matter of fact they regard it as a freak race and without interest either as a sporting or a yachting event. Also they say it would occur at a time when the sixteen foot yacht classic is held off Cowes, in connection with which enthusiasm here is keen. The opinion was expressed that this race off Cowes should not be sidetracked by a race between big yachts, such as the proposed contest across the Atlantic would be.

C. H. Burne, a member of the Royal Thames Yacht Club, said that while London sportsmen appreciated King Albert's spirit in offering a cup for a transatlantic yacht race, they thought he was badly advised in planning the contest.

"Obviously the biggest and strongest yacht would best stand the buffeting of the Atlantic and the winner could be picked before the race started," he said. "The risk involved would be too great in these days of costly building, because the racing yachts of the present day are so lightly built that to carry such a stretch of canvas as would be necessary in such a race they would find the voyage across the Atlantic a perilous one."

Mr. Burne said British yachtmen would welcome a race around the British Isles, for instance, which was confined to yachts of a stipulated size—another from six to twelve meters long. This, he added, would be keen sport, preventing long handicaps, and encouraging an advance in yachting designs.

RECS MEETING

The annual general meeting of the members of the Shanghai Recreation Club will be held at the Pavilion a week from Thursday at 6 o'clock.

Baseball Club May Name Lady Members To Drive Committee

Although President Fred McIntyre of the Shanghai Amateur Baseball Club has added 25 men to the membership campaign committee, returns are very slow in coming and it is probable that several young ladies will be added to the group out for members to the Club.

In all probability a separate ladies committee will be formed to get the boys at the Columbia Country Club, Astor House and other tea dances and to augment the night scouting committee.

So young man, or young old man, if you refuse any of the mere males on the membership committee, one of the sterner sex will get you.

Join!

Edgren Goes Back To Days Of The Old Heavies Of The Prize Fight Ring

BY ROBERT EDGREN

James J. Corbett set a new fashion in American boxing when he beat Sullivan at New Orleans. For years Sullivan had been considered absolutely invincible, in or out of condition. Corbett was a swift, clever boxer. He was extremely hard to hit—a fleeting shadow in the ring, yet with plenty of courage. An inch over 6 feet, weighing 183 pounds, sinewy, built for speed rather than for strength, he never was a very hard hitter.

He won fights by wearing his rivals down by making them miss until they were arm weary and discouraged, and by delivering a bewildering succession of jarring and annoying blows at long range.

Corbett was a student of boxing, a keen fellow who set out to make science overcome strength. When he began fighting he was a bank clerk in San Francisco and boxing instructor at the Olympic Club. At first he fought as if he were "giving a boxing lesson"—the origin, by the way, of that phrase.

Corbett boxed a dozen or so unimportant bouts before he found a real rival—Joe Choynski—whom he finally beat decisively on a barge in San Francisco bay, in twenty-eight rounds.

Going to New Orleans, he outpointed Jake Kilrain in six rounds, and, returning to California, became famous by fighting a sixty-one-round draw with the great Peter Jackson. Peter had a sprained ankle, and couldn't move about much. Corbett danced around and around him endlessly, but would take no more than a long-range chance, until half of the weary spectators went home and the rest slept in their chairs, the referee finally stopping the bout.

A month later Sullivan arrived in San Francisco on an exhibition tour. Corbett boxed four rounds with him and finding himself able to avoid the great Sullivan's swinging blows with ease, laid plans for a match. Corbett went East and won three or four small bouts, made an impression, and was matched to fight for the championship at New Orleans, September 7, 1892.

CORBETT PLANNED AHEAD

Corbett's plan for that fight had been made a year before. When the fight started he danced around Sullivan, light as a feather. Sullivan rushed. Corbett floated away, barely out of reach, hardly striking a blow. Infuriated, Sullivan lunged and swung, and every miss weakened him, for missing continually is a heavier strain on a fighter than taking punishment. Frequently Sullivan stopped, dropped his hands and dared Corbett to "come and fight like a man."

The crowd began to jeer. Cold, smiling, perfectly sure of himself and at ease, Corbett called to the spectators that they'd see fighting enough in good time, and went on with his work in his own way.

He danced about, floated away barely out of reach when Sullivan tried desperately to catch him and knock him down, and now and then he jabbed Sullivan sharply. Sullivan, old, in no condition, with a roll of fat hanging over his belt, wheezing, reeling on unsteady legs, still charged, but was so weary now he could hardly raise his arms.

SULLIVAN HURT BADLY

So Corbett increased his efforts little by little and began shooting over jarring rights. Sullivan was badly battered, his eyes puffed, his lunges were off line and he could hardly keep his feet under him. The crowd, that had been jeering Corbett, was at first silent in amazement that this unbelievable thing was happening before its eyes, and then, with a

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HONGKONG PICKS CRICKET TEAM FOR MAY TOURNEY

Men From South Arriving Here May 23 For Interport Matches To Be Played

Hongkong has selected 11 men to come here for the interport cricket series to be held the latter part of May and the candidates for the Shanghai team are due to start practice about Saturday of this week. Hongkong has selected a crack team to come here.

It will include Sayer as captain, Davis, Franks, Reid, Bowen, Bagnall, De Rome, Stapleton, Olliver, Farthing and Hamilton, scorer. Two others and an umpire will be selected later.

BABE RUTH HITS 11 HOME RUNS, CALLS IT A DAY

Famous Slugger Gets Off To Flying Start In The South

BACK FENCE NO TERROR

Reports From Training Camp Indicate He Will Have Great Season

Shreveport (La.), April 2.—"Babe" Ruth signalised his return to harness for 1921 by hammering the ball over the fence eleven times at the training park here today.

U.S.A. Poloists Practice Games

According to a schedule arranged by the London representative of the Polo Association and approved by that body the American polo players will take part in fourteen matches preliminary to their contests with the British four in June. These affairs will be confined to the three polo clubs in the London district—Hurlingham, where the international cup matches will be played; Ranelagh and Roehampton.

The first match will be played at Ranelagh on May 7. The Yankees will shift to Roehampton for their second practice game, on May 11. Their third match will be played at Roehampton on May 14, and on Whit Monday, May 16, they will move over to Hurlingham and the international field. The Americans will play three matches at Hurlingham, five at Ranelagh and six at Roehampton. The international contests will be played at Hurlingham on June 18, 22 and 25.

The British players also will

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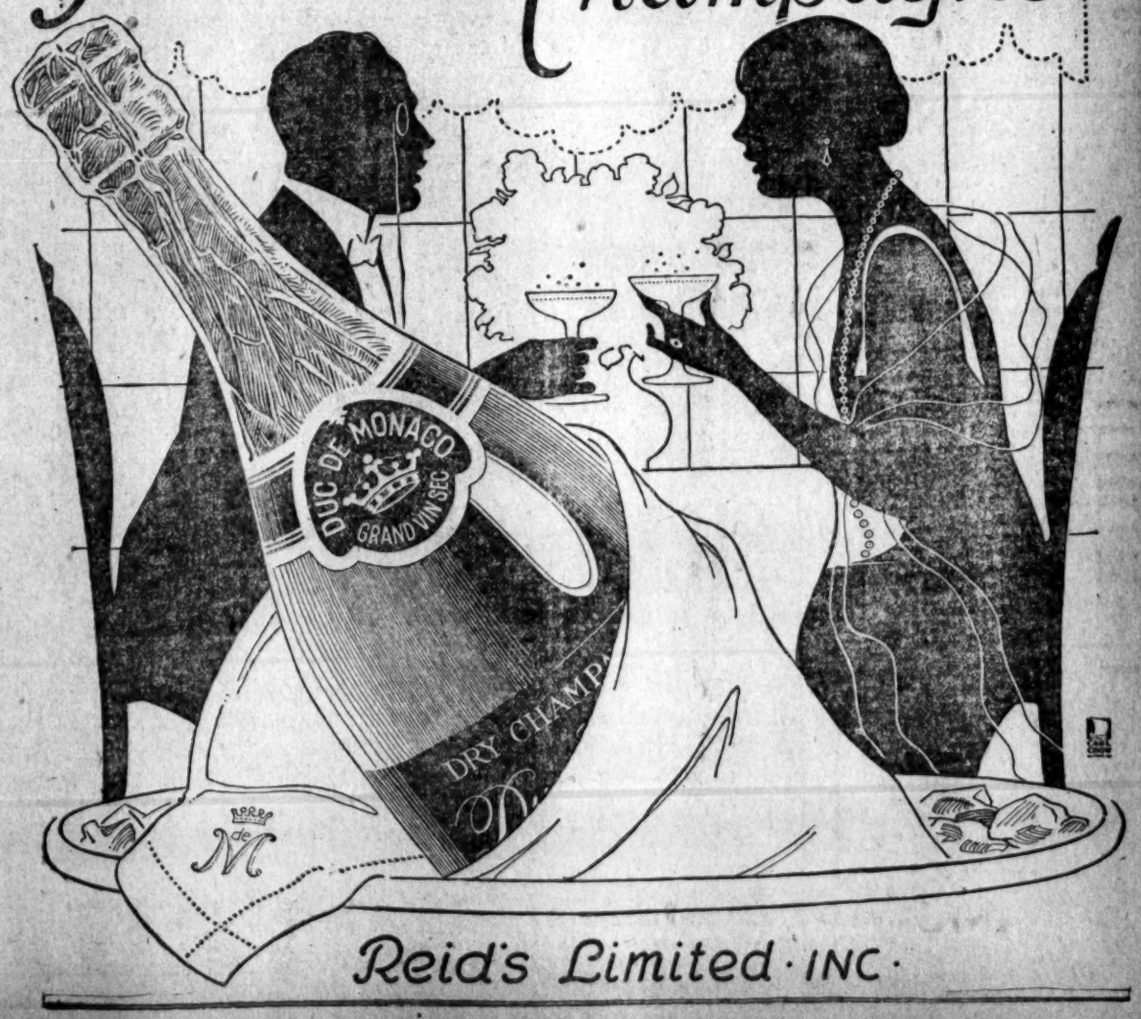

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EDGREN TELLS OF OLD HEAVIES

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crowd's inconsistency, began roaring applause for the cub that was tearing the toothless old lion down. In the twenty-first round anyone with half an eye could see Sullivan was done. His arms hung slack at his sides and his legs refused to carry him forward. In all his life, they say, Sullivan had not stepped back.

Corbett knew his time had come. Throwing aside the defense he no longer needed, he ran in and rained blows on the tottering old champion until Sullivan slowly sank to the floor. And once down there was no struggling up again.

The fight was over. The great Sullivan had been whipped without landing a single solid blow.

WHAT VICTORY MEANT

Those were great days for Corbett. He toured the country in triumph, great crowds meeting him everywhere. Papers printed pages about his cleverness, his swiftness, his amazing skill. Every young boxer in the country aped his "style" of boxing. Hard hitting was considered a joke before swift-footed, light-tapping skill.

And then Eddie Cook, or perhaps it was the versatile William A. Brady, thought of calling Corbett "Gentleman Jim." That touch made him a fortune on the stage. Incidentally it lifted boxing out of the backwoods, bare-knuckle days and gained it recognition as a "science" that bank clerks and other genteel people could indulge in without losing caste.

Sixteen months later Corbett knocked out Charlie Mitchell in three rounds at Jacksonville, Fla., and one Peter Courtney, for the pictures, at Orange N. J. Two and a half years elapsed, and the champion listened to public clamor and condescended to box four rounds in San Francisco with Tom Sharkey, a raw sailor, who had been beating Joe Choynski and a few others.

I watched Corbett's training at the Olympic Club.

"I'll make a sucker of this sailor dub," said Corbett, smiling.

But he didn't. The sailor dub disregarded Corbett's science entirely, rushed and roughed him and used him so hardily that the bout was stopped half a minute before the end of the fourth round to save the champion from a possible knockout, and make the decision a "draw."

MATCH END OF CORBETT

This was practically Corbett's end as a champion. A desire to get back public favor induced him to take on a match with Bob Fitzsimmons, world's middleweight champion, who had been trying for years to force him into a bout, and who was beginning to be taken seriously.

He met Fitzsimmons at Carson City, March 17, 1897, and in spite of the date and a great collection of four-leaved clovers and rabbits' feet sent him by admirers, was knocked out in the fourteenth round in one of the most splendidly spectacular fights the world had seen, under surroundings rare in romantic interest.

In another year and a half Corbett fought Sharkey, and was so nearly knocked out in the ninth round that one of his own seconds, Connie McVey, jumped into the ring to save him, forfeiting the decision on a foul.

EFFORT TO REGAIN TITLE

In another year and a half Corbett made a spectacular attempt to come back, fighting Jim Jeffries, who meanwhile had knocked out Fitzsimmons and become champion. This fight was at Coney Island. Corbett trained quietly for nearly a year and was in fine condition. Using all of his skill he danced and jabbed through twenty-two rounds, piling up points and keeping out of danger. Then Jeffries, aroused to the danger of losing referee Charlie White's decision, rushed out in the twenty-third, chased and caught Corbett in full flight, threw him against the ropes with a stiff left hander, and as he rebounded cracked him on the jaw with a crushing right and knocked him so cold that Gentleman Jim never moved until the ten second count was over.

To show what a thoughtful youngster this Jeffries was, I'll mention just one small incident that occurred while that count was going on. George Considine, a friend of Corbett's who had bet thousands on his chances, picked up the water bucket in his corner and ran around the ring to throw cold water over him, to bring him to. Jeffries, watching this detail from the corner of his eye, reached a long leg between the ropes and kicked the bucket from Considine's hands.

Corbett fought twice after that. Officially he "knocked out" Kid McCoy in five rounds. It is said McCoy went down not unwillingly. There was much scandal over that affair, so the less said about it as a fight the better.

Later he fought Jeffries in San Francisco and was knocked out in ten rounds. Jeffries could have turned the trick in one, but wanted to give the crowd "a run for its money," and incidentally to tease Fitzsimmons, who had been knocked out in eight and was seconding Jeffries in his corner and hoping Corbett would not last as long as he did.

At 55 Jim Corbett, remarkably well preserved physically, and carrying not a mark for all his ups and downs in the ring, is still telling all about it in a monologue and prospering financially.

U.S.A. Poloists Practice Games

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engage in a series of practice matches and have scheduled a dozen of them—six at Ranelagh, four at Roehampton and only two at Hurlingham. The schedules follow:

AMERICAN TEAM.

May 7, Ranelagh; May 11 and 14, Roehampton; May 16, Hurlingham; May 18, Roehampton; May 21 and 25, Ranelagh; May 28, Hurlingham; June 1, Roehampton; June 4, Ranelagh; June 8, Hurlingham; June 11 and 13, Roehampton; June 15, Ranelagh.

BRITISH TEAM

May 7, Roehampton; May 11, 14 and 16, Ranelagh; May 21, Roehampton; May 25, Hurlingham; May 28 and June 1, Ranelagh; June 4, Hurlingham; June 8, Roehampton; June 11, Ranelagh; June 15, Roehampton.

In so far as the American squad is concerned, the schedule is a departure from the plan recently announced by the Polo Association. It had been expected that the six Yankee players would take part in preliminary practice at Tidworth and would enter various tournaments, just as the team led by Harry Payne Whitney did previous to its lifting the cup in 1909.

At that time the Yankee four played at Hurlingham, Ranelagh and Roehampton too, but it also was seen in several tournaments. It was in the Open Cup tourney at Roehampton that the Whitney team of 1909 gave the British an idea that their four might not be able to withstand the dashing tactics of Uncle Sam's experts.

FORM 'TRIAL HORSES'

In order to give both the Yankees and the British good practice two English teams have been organised, one by Walter Buckmaster, one of the most famous players in the history of polo, and the other by Major F. W. Barrett, who was a member of the team which took away the cup in 1914.

Buckmaster's four will total 36 points in handicap—as much as will the British team which will face the Americans. Buckmaster, with handicap at 10 goals, will play at No. 3. The Spanish Duke of Penaranda, who accompanied the British team to America in 1914, with a handicap of 8, will play No. 1, and F. M. Freake, an international at who was seen in the U. S. in 1913, will be No. 2. His handicap is 9. The Earl of Rocksavage, handicap 9, will be at back.

The other British "trial horse" four, under Major Barrett, will be an all military affair, with total handicap of 33. It will be made up as follows: No. 1, Lieut.-Col. H. G. M. Pleydell-Railston, handicap 7 goals; No. 2, Lieut.-Col. H. C. S. Ashton, handicap 8; No. 3, Major Barrett, handicap 9, and back, Major J. F. Harrison, handicap 9.

There are two surprises among these British practice teams—the return of Freake, who has not played polo since 1914, and the failure of Major Barrett to win a place on the British four.

Russians Plan Literary Journal

A new Russian weekly journal, the Neva, devoted to notes on literature, poetry and ballads of foreign as well as Russian life, is scheduled to make its first appearance in Shanghai on Sunday April 17.

The Neva will be published and edited by Maria Zvezditch, formerly of the Petrograd Neva, a journal of the same class, assisted by Marcel Feree. Mr. S. Stanislavo, will act as business manager, and Messrs. Albert Benwa, formerly of the Petrograd Neva, and Mr. S. Gedroitz will furnish artistic illustrations and sketches for the journal.

Politics will have no place in the Neva, according to an announcement made yesterday.

David Yui Helps Ningpo "Y" Drive

(China Press Correspondence)

Ningpo, March 26.—The local Y.M.C.A. is soon to begin its annual membership drive, and as a preliminary it invited Mr. David Yui to come to Ningpo and meet with the captains of the various teams.

On Friday the president of the local association, Mr. M. Thomas Tchou, gave a dinner at the home of Mr. Redfern at the English Methodist College in Mr. Yui's honor, to which about twelve guests were invited. In the afternoon Mr. Yui met the team leaders and gave them points about getting in new members. In the evening at 7:30 he spoke to all the members of the association at the Y.M.C.A. hall.

Saturday morning Mr. Yui addressed a large gathering of students from schools all over the city at a theater in the Settlement, setting before them the ideal young man and young woman which are the only hopes of the China of tomorrow. In the afternoon at the Chamber of Commerce he addressed a large group of leading business men.

B. W. A.

The Committee of the British Women's Association have pleasure in announcing that the tea room and lounge, at their temporary headquarters at 18 The Bund, are now open for the use of members and their friends. Tea will be served from 4 to 6 p.m. each day but the rooms, which comprise tea and reading rooms, lounge, offices, etc., are open from 10 a.m. until 7 p.m.

A small library of novels—shortly, it is anticipated, to be augmented is at the disposal of members. In regard to tea and bovril being provided during the tiffin hour, the honorary secretary would be glad to hear from members who wish to avail themselves of this arrangement. Unless this provision is going to be of use to a sufficient number of members its continuance would seem to be hardly worth while.

DAIREN, REGULAR PORT IS LOSING OUT

Fall In Price Of Coal At Moji And Decrease Of Bean Shipments At Dairen Causes

It is feared that the calls instituted by large shipping companies at Dairen for their liners on the American or European run may be discontinued after so short a trial, since the inducements which led to that experiment seem to be disappearing.

A few months ago the Toyo Kisen Kaisha extended this end of its American line to Dairen, for this arrangement there were two principal reasons. First, much cheaper bunker coal was supplied by the South Manchuria Railway Company at Dairen than was obtainable in Japan proper. Secondly, there were considerable shipments of beans and other goods from Dairen to America and Europe.

The example of the Toyo Kisen Kaisha was soon followed by the Osaka Shosen Kaisha and the Nippon Yusen Kaisha in the order named, but lately there has been a considerable decline in the price of coal at Wakamatsu and Moji, best bunker coal being obtainable at about Y17 per ton.

This price is still considerably higher than the figure quoted at Dairen which is Y12, but the difference is scarcely enough to offset the expenses incidental to the despatch of ships to Dairen. It requires an extra four or five days to send them from Moji to that port to take cargo there and then to bring them back to their trunk route.

The expenses necessary for this roundabout course can not be sufficiently offset unless, it is said, there is an appreciable fall in the price of Dairen coal. Further, shipments from Dairen to America and Europe have begun to decrease, and this is another factor militating against the new practice of the shipping companies in making their vessels call at Dairen.

Unless there is an improvement in the situation either way, it is said that the shipping concerns will be compelled to suspend or decrease the calls of their ships.

SUGAR AGAIN FALLS

Tokio, March 26.—The sugar market in Japan which has been bolstered up on strength of good foreign news, is once more in a heavy mood, since because of the good turn mills have begun to sell. Japanese news is also of an unfavorable nature.

New York cables continue reporting good business at good prices. Yesterday's cable stated that 3,000 tons of new sugar was covered at 35.25 c. and f. New York, but Javanese cables are no longer of a favorable nature. Yesterday's despatch announced that the market was irregular and July delivery declined by one guildar to 20.50 guildars.

Thursday afternoon, when the market was still strong, mills were rumored to have commenced to take the change for the disposition of thir cargo. Yesterday the rumor was believed and, coupled with worse Javanese news and consummers' shyness, it caused the market to lose its strength. Refined dropped to Y29.70 per picul. The quotation was 10 sen below Thursday. Centrifugal was quoted at 19.90 per picul May-June.

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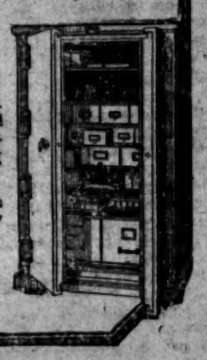

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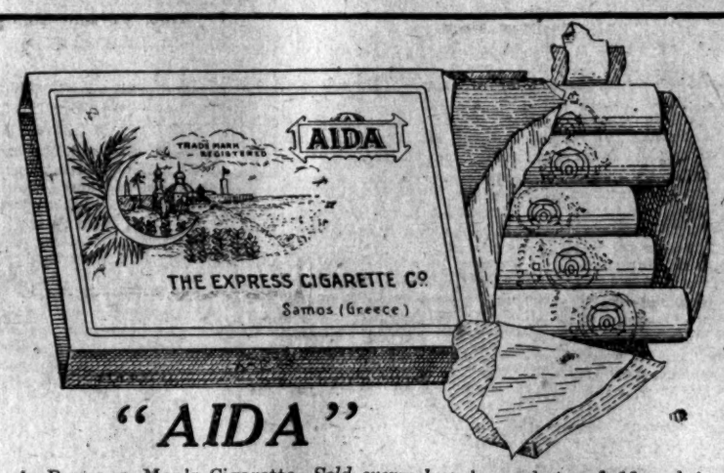

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THREE WOMEN ON JURY HELP ACQUIT JUDGE OF MURDER

Fate Of Chief Justice McGannon, Depended On Woman's Word

ACCUSED OF A SHOOTING

Miss Neely, First Testified Against Him, Then Saved Him

(From a Special Correspondent.)

Cleveland, Feb. 19.—In a case broadly splashed with the elements of love, tragedy, mystery and a complex tangle of evidence, Judge William H. McGannon, Chief Justice of Cleveland's Municipal Court, was yesterday cleared of the charge of killing Harold G. Kagy, garage proprietor.

With tears in his eyes, Justice McGannon thanked the jurors—and juresses—there having been three women on the jury—and announced that he would resume his place on the bench from which he absented himself shortly after he was indicted.

With the acquittal of Justice McGannon it became known that the remarkable case, packed with thrills, as it has been from the start, had a "courtroom romance." It came to light that Miss Ethel Beardsley, beautiful twenty-two-year-old "alibi" witness for McGannon, had secretly wed John Wilkin, son of a prominent Cleveland attorney, on Ash Wednesday, the day when testimony in the trial began.

Miss Beardsley, during her testimony in the first trial, attracted young Wilkin as she sat in the witness stand. They were introduced later and the romance was the result.

The trial had one more surprise before the verdict of the jury became known. It happened just as the State closed its case. It was announced that a witness for the State, who "knew a motive for the crime," something that had never before been uncovered, had been kidnapped. The alleged witness was A. J. Babilus, of Bradford, Ohio, who had been subpoenaed to appear. Prosecutor Stanton declared he had received a telegram from Connellsville, Pa., saying:

"Was kidnapped Thursday night from Dillonville, O., and brought here to Connellsville. Have no money. If you want me to testify in case, wire money immediately in care of Chief of Police."

The dramatic phase of the case lay in the fact that for more than ten years Justice McGlennon, in his judicial work in Cleveland, had been noted for his kindly methods of administering justice. His duty called on him to act in cases of petty offenders, thieves, brawlers and other disturbers of the peace and morals.

When it became necessary for him to face another judge and a hostile prosecutor, it was a charge of second degree murder that he had to fight.

In the Municipal Court, Judge McGannon attracted attention by his efforts to reclaim the waifs and strays of the town, by kindly advice and sometimes by light punishment for short periods in the Workhouse. The penalty for the crime he was accused of is imprisonment for life.

The two trials which he has gone through have been marked by bitterness on the part of the prosecution that has almost amounted to ferocity.

The chief witness was a woman, who at the first trial testified against him after causing his indictment, and who now has testified for him, sacrificing her reputation publicly on the witness stand. In the first trial the result was a disagreement. The jury was composed of men exclusively. In this trial three of the twelve jurors were women, enough to prevent, if not to control, any verdict. It is the first major trial in State history in which a woman's testimony has been under consideration by women.

And this woman, Miss May Neely, is of the type known in the courts and press as "the other woman." She was a friend of the accused Judge for ten years or longer. He is married and Mrs. McGannon followed Miss Neely to the stand in a pathetic plea for her husband's freedom.

The man whose death has brought about all this was an obscure garage owner, Harold E. Kagy, shot in a drunken wrangle about midnight on May 20 last after an automobile trip through the city with two other men. No suggestion that Justice McGannon was concerned in the killing was made for weeks. Then Miss Neely was suddenly taken secretly before the Bar Association to give testimony regarding certain phases of the Judge's life. When she left there she was taken before the Grand Jury, and then, like a flash, came the indictment.

In the first trial the woman said unequivocally that she saw Justice McGannon pull something from his pocket, heard a dull report, and saw Kagy drop. In the second trial Miss Neely, half weeping, asserted absolutely that she knew Judge McGannon did not kill Kagy, and refused to testify in detail on the ground that it might degrade her.

Here is the story of the killing as it was first revealed on May 8 last:

ALL WERE DRINKING

Judge McGannon, John Joyce and Harold Kagy met in a cafe near the eastern end of the city, where all drank. The three then boarded the Judge's automobile.

In the long ride downtown from Coltman road, near East One Hundred and Twenty-third street, Joyce declares he fell asleep and remembers no more until he reached East Ninth street and Hamilton avenue, near the lake front. There he was dragged from the machine by the Judge and Kagy, he says, and told:

"Get out; this is as far as we go."

Joyce staggered over to a nearby pole and leaned against it, his back to the machine, "sick" from liquor. Then he says:

"I heard what seemed to me to be the bursting of an automobile tire. It might have been a shot. I started away from the pole."

Persons nearby hurried up. They found Kagy lying on his face, bleeding from a wound in his back—a bullet wound. No one else was near.

Joyce was charged with the murder. A city-wide search was made for him. Then, dramatically, he gave himself up. He was charged with second degree murder.

The "third man" mystery puzzled a city. The question was unanswered when the trial of Joyce opened last Fall.

Joyce stuck to his story that he was too sick to be even capable of looking around to see what was going on when some one cried. "Come back here." or to see who was there.

Star witnesses for the defense were William P. Wilson, a Canadian war veteran, and Adrian Short, a fish dealer, who testified that they saw Kagy standing near the machine and Joyce leaning against the pole.

"HEAVY SET MAN" ESCAPED

Both testified they heard the shot and then saw a "heavy set man, weighing about 250 pounds, dressed in a dark felt hat and a tan overcoat, hurry away" from the scene of the crime.

Judge McGannon is heavy set. His garb, the night of the slaying, corresponded somewhat to the description given. John Joyce was freed.

Then appeared the "eternal feminine," in the person of a "mysterious woman," who testified before a committee of the Cleveland Bar Association. Hints of the gravity of her charges crept to the ears of the then county prosecutor, Roland A. Baskin, who had been appointed to fill an unexpired term.

The "mysterious woman" appeared before the Grand Jury. Judge William H. McGannon was indicted for second degree murder in the slaying of Harold Kagy. A city stood aghast, for the McGannons were a respected self-made family, who had risen from poverty to power, with three of the brothers high in professional life.

The State gathered a score of witnesses for its case, including the "mysterious woman," whose testimony, it was stated, had resulted in the indictment of the Judge.

TRIAL A BITTER BATTLE

The trial developed into a bitter battle of attorneys, linked with the most amazing tangle of conflicting testimony ever heard before a Cleveland bar.

The State brought out through the testimony of its witnesses that Judge McGannon was in the car as it approached Hamilton avenue and East Ninth street. At least four patrolmen, who had been called to the scene following the shooting, testified to seeing Judge McGannon in front of the cafe on Superior avenue, some seven minutes' walk from the scene of the murder at 12:40 a.m., thirteen minutes after the shooting. They declared he seemed intoxicated, and appeared to be examining something in his hand.

Then came the State's "bombshell"—the testimony of the woman, Mary E. Neely, who said, in substance:

"I was on my way down town in a Euclid avenue street car when, as the trolley neared East Ninth street, I recognised an auto as that of Judge McGannon, whom I had known for years.

"My curiosity aroused, I alighted from the street car as the Judge's car, with Judge McGannon and two other men in it, turned north toward the lake on East Ninth street.

"I followed the car as it proceeded slowly down East Ninth street until I neared Oregon avenue. (A short block from the scene of the shooting.) There I stopped. The Judge's car traveled on until it reached a point somewhere near Hamilton avenue. I watched. The three got out. Then I saw Judge McGannon pull something from his pocket. A shot rang out. Kagy lurched forward."

It was the most damaging blow the State could bring forth. The most severe cross examination by Boyd served only to fix the details of Miss Neely's story more firmly in the minds of the jury. Then the further testimony of Miss Neely:

"On October 7 I met the judge in Harkness road, and told him I saw him shoot Harold Kagy.

"On November 11, I met Judge McGannon on the street and told him things were getting pretty bad. I said, 'Why not let me say I did the shooting?' He hesitated, and replied 'No, it's too late to say that. Wait and maybe you can help me out in some other way.'

"The next night I drove out to East One Hundred and Fifteenth street with him. We discussed the Joyce trial. The judge said, 'If I could only get somone to say they saw me get out of the machine at Euclid avenue and East Ninth street.'

"I saw him again, a few days later, on the street. Nothing was said about the shooting, any more than if I would say I did see him at Euclid avenue and East Ninth street, he would do anything for me or I could have anything he had.

"YOU DON'T KNOW ANYTHING"

"I next saw the judge on November 20. This was at my home, about 4 o'clock in the afternoon. Nothing was said about the shooting other than that I told him I had been downtown to the Bar Association, and had told what I knew.

"He said, 'It's a shame they made you go down there and say things you didn't want to say.' The next night at my home at 9:25 o'clock, he came to tell me what to say before the Grand Jury. He said, 'You know what to say, say you don't know anything.'

"I said, 'You know what a fool I am. They will ask me questions and I will have to answer them.'

"'You are smart enough to know what to say,' he replied. 'Go down and tell them, and after you have been down I will come over and bring you five new $100 bills.'

"I said nothing to that, but he said:

"'You will not have to worry about working any more. I will earn enough for both of us, and when that five hundred is gone you can have more.'"

Asked who was present at the time she claimed the judge made his offer of the money, Miss Neely replied:

"My sister, Mrs. Lewis T. Webb."

Mrs. Webb, who said she was Miss Neely's sister, that she knew Judge McGannon and was present in Miss Neely's apartment when the judge came in, testified:

"I was in the living room inside the door, behind some curtains. I heard the conversation between the judge and my sister. He asked her to go down the next morning and say she was mistaken in the statements she had made. I didn't exactly hear what she said. He said he would, if she would do that, bring her $500 on Tuesday. He said that he cared for her only. He said he would bring the money and afterward he would come and bring some more."

DISPUTE WOMAN'S STORY

In rebuttal to this mass of testimony of Miss Neely, a friend of the Judge for some fifteen years, the defense brought forward witnesses to uphold the Judge's story that, instead of accompanying Kagy and Joyce downtown, he actually alighted at Euclid avenue and E. Ninth street and walked to the Public Square alone, there boarding a car which left the Square at 12:30 for his home.

The jury deliberated forty-eight hours. At that time, according to reports, the balloting stood ten to two for conviction. Here a legal matter intruded. Prosecutor Baskin's term of office came to an end on January 1. Could the jury legally be held over into the term of another prosecutor? Rather than allow any legal loopholes in a possible decision, Judge Bernon called in the jury, which reported a disagreement.

The new prosecutor, Edward C. Stanton, pushed the new trial along with surprising rapidity.

After sixty-five veniremen had been examined, a jury was secured which consisted of three women, Mrs. Hazel McGlynn, Mrs. Rose Bayne and Mrs. Zuleika R. Allen and nine men.

Arrangements were made to place the women in charge of a woman bailiff, Mrs. Florence C. Morrison, while the usual male bailiff guarded the men. Mrs. Morrison is the first woman bailiff ever appointed in a Cuyahoga County court. The hearing of testimony began February 9.

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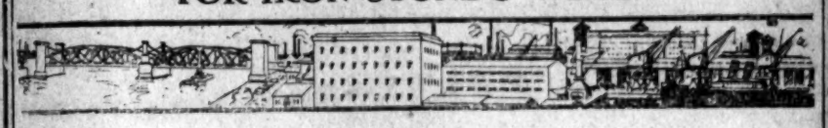

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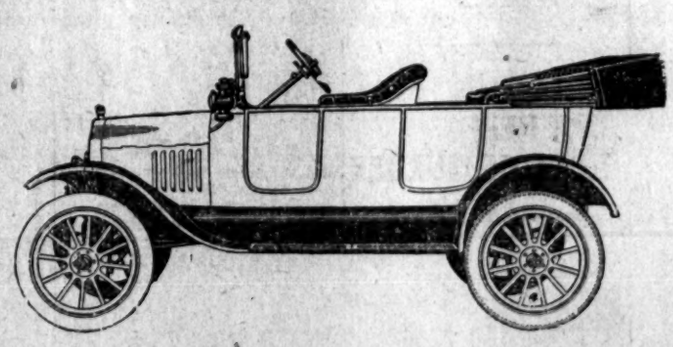

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Suing For Divorce, Norfolk Wife Accuses Parent As Co-respondent

FORCED TO BE BRIDE AT 16

Mrs. Dora Steen Charges Husband With Brutal Beatings

Norfolk, Feb. 26.—Suing Manuel Steen for divorce on the grounds of cruelty, Mrs. Dora Steen, twenty-one, makes sensational charges against her mother, Mrs. Rawls. The wife charges her mother was intimate with Steen and, to save herself from possible criminal prosecution, she forced her daughter to marry the man.

The case is the first of its kind on record in Virginia, so far as could be learned. It has caused a sensation in this city. The suit was filed in the Circuit Court and will be heard early in March.

The wife makes charges against her husband and her mother in partial declarations filed with her notice of suit.

FORCED TO WED, SHE SAYS

On April 20, 1915, she alleges, she was compelled by her mother, after threats and severe beatings, to marry Steen. She says she was only sixteen years old and had no affection for him, but, on the contrary, possessed the greatest aversion.

Since her marriage, she says, Steen has been brutal and cruel. He has not supported her, she says, but has depended on her, and has compelled her by threats to shoot, by cutting and by beating her, to work for him. In the six years of their married life, she alleges, Steen has not performed one year of work.

TELLS OF DEATH THREATS

She charges her husband drank constantly and while under the influence of liquor cursed, threatened and beat her. In July, 1920, she said, he forced her to stay on the street until 4 a.m. for fear of his threats to shoot and stab her if she entered the house.

By this brutal treatment, Mrs. Steen says, her health has been greatly impaired and if she is compelled to live longer with her husband it will be at the risk of her life. She asks for a divorce and restoration of her maiden name of Dora Rawls.

DESIGN COWBOY STATUE AND WIN $62,000 IN GOLD

Sculptors Asked To Vie In Designing Likeness Of Uruguayan 'Gaucho'

Washington, Feb. 26.—American sculptors have been invited by the Uruguayan Government through the Pan-American Union here to submit designs for a statue of the "Gaucho," or South American cowboy. The statue is to be erected in the principal plaza of Montevideo in commemoration of the part played by these intrepid frontiersmen in the development of Uruguay.

The prize offered is 60,000 pesos, gold, or about $62,000 in American money.

The Uruguayan gaucho, one of the most picturesque characters in history, represents a survival of the old Spanish colonial days. Though he is called the cowboy of South America, he is more than that. A horseman spending most of his life in the saddle, he was also a rancher, a trapper, hunter, pioneer and soldier.

Although like the French-Canadian "habitant," he was nearly always a half-breed Indian by blood, he was actually an Indian in no other sense of the word. He did not live as the Indians lived, but was the pioneer of white civilisation on the pampas.

A jury of awards, consisting of Dr. Elias Regules, Dr. Alejandro Gallinal, Manuel Flores, Francisco J. Ros, Carlos A. Arocena and two artists representing the Society of Architects and the Circle of Fine Arts in Montevideo, will pass upon the merits of the designs, for which second and third prizes of 1,500 and 1,000 pesos gold, respectively, will be given.

U.S. MARINE ACT IN FULL FORCE

America Puts Restrictions On Coast-Wise Passenger And Freight Traffic Into Effect

The T.K.K. liners on the Yokohama-San Francisco run will continue to stop at Honolulu, although the pre-war ruling against steamers under foreign registry engaging in the coastwise trade between the Hawaiian Islands and the Mainland has been revived in the more severe form provided by the Jones Merchant Marine Act.

The T.K.K. vessels will not be permitted to carry stop-over passengers from Honolulu to San Francisco—passengers considered under the old form of the law as through passengers.

However, the T.K.K. boats will continue to book passengers from Yokohama to Honolulu or San Francisco and will give passengers to San Francisco the privilege of stopping over at Honolulu and using their through ticket on a Pacific Mail steamer.

The freight business between the Far East and Honolulu is lucrative and is another reason for the ships to continue to stop at the islands going both ways. As the booking of passengers from San Francisco to Hawaii on a trans-Pacific liner is not considered of great profit, usually leaving the cabin empty the rest of the voyage, the ruling is not considered very disastrous.

The Merchant Marine Act, which was passed in June, 1920, was suspended in part temporarily and one suspended provision was regarding the restricting of the coastwise trade between Honolulu and the United States proper to vessels of American registry. This restriction was suspended upon the petition of Honolulu business interests until American vessels were able properly to handle the traffic. According to the cable received by the T.K.K. office at Yokohama, the provision is effective as of March 1 last.

The China Mail steamers were permitted to engage in this trade before the war because the corporation was registered under the laws of the United States and more than 51 percent of the capital stock was owned by American citizens. The Jones Act, however, provides that "in the case of a corporation, association or partnership operating any vessel in the coastwise trade the amount of interest required to be owned by citizens of the United States shall be 75 per centum." It is because of this provision, made effective, it seems, from March 1, that the China Mail office at Yokohama has received word that it will not be permitted to engage in the local freight or passenger business between Honolulu and the mainland, although it is an American registered and controlled corporation.

THREE WOMEN ON JURY HELP ACQUIT JUDGE OF MURDER

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saw the Judge, apparently under the influence of liquor, in front of the Superior avenue cafe. This, they testified, was at 12:40 o'clock, ten minutes after Judge McGannon swore he took a street car to his home and thirteen minutes after the shooting. Another patrolman, who had not previously testified, bore out the statements of his brother officers and said, in addition, that he saw the Judge examining something in his hand.

DRAMATIC MOMENT IN CASE

And then the dramatic moment in the entire history of the case!

Miss Neely again took the stand.

Expectations were that she would repeat her story of the previous trial.

The preliminary questions were asked. She was a practical nurse. She had known Judge McGannon so long. She was his friend since 1905. Then she was asked.

"Did you see Judge McGannon on or about May 7, 1920?"

The witness paused for a full two minutes, then answered:

"I refuse to answer because I might disgrace or incriminate myself. Judge McGannon is not guilty of the murder of Harold Kagy."

Prosecutor Stanton, in amazement, objected on the ground her answer was unresponsive. Judge Powell sustained the objection.

The examination proceeded. Again and again, Miss Neely used the phrase:

"I refuse to answer on the ground I may disgrace or incriminate myself," or by flatly stating "I cannot remember."

Judge Powell finally ruled that Miss Neely must answer such questions as would not incriminate her and the prosecutor repeated the question:

Q.—"Then what did you do?"

A.—"Now, Mr. Stanton, in view of the fact that Judge McGannon did not kill Harold Kagy—I cannot answer."

PROTECTS THE WOMAN

The prosecutor demanded an answer. Judge Powell and Miss Neely conferred regarding the witness's rights in whispered tones for a few minutes.

Judge Powell then turned to Prosecutor Stanton and said:

"In view of what the witness has told me I am compelled to sustain her objection to the questions so far put to her."

The prosecutor shifted the questioning:

Q. "Do you remember what time it was when you and the judge were in your home and your sister was there?"

A. "I believe it was in the evening."

Q. "Your sister was behind some curtains?"

A. "I refuse to answer."

Q. "Was there any conversation about $500 "

A. "I refuse to answer."

Nothing further was gleaned from Miss Neely despite continued questioning.

Mrs. Webb, called by the State, repeated the story she told in the first trial of the judge, telling of his visit to Miss Neely's apartment, his offer of the $500 and his departure, after saying he loved only Miss Neely.

And withal, the question of who shot Harold Kagy the early morning of May 8, 1920, remains unsolved.

The case went to the jury at 2:25 the afternoon of Thursday. Locked up overnight, it reported at 11 a.m. Friday. It was ready to render a verdict. Judge Powell was ill and Judge Maurice Bernon, who had been the Judge in the first trial of McGannon, which reached a disagreement was summoned to receive the verdict.

The bailiff read from the verdict: "We, the jury in the case, being duly impanelled and sworn, do find the defendant not guilty."

McGannon walked to the jury box and in a voice choked with emotion said:

"I want to give you my heartfelt thanks for your consideration of this case on my part and on the part of the State, and, oh, I want to thank you for the expression of the verdict."

The judge turned and hurried to a telephone, where he told the news to his wife.

Declaring he would return to the bench, which he left when first indicted for the shooting after a week's rest, McGannon said:

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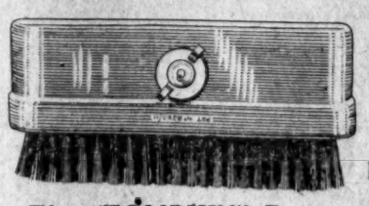

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There will be:
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A STEEPLECHASE
2 HANDICAPS
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6 OTHER RACES.

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By Order of the Stewards,
A. W. OLSEN,
Secretary, Shanghai Race Club.
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NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES

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MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

NO. 2832.

THE following Resolutions will be brought forward by the Council at the Annual Meeting of Ratepayers to be held in the Town Hall on April 14, 1921, at 2 o'clock p.m., and are published for general information:

Resolutions I, II and III.—Formal business and adoption of Rules of Procedure.

Resolution IV.—That the Report and Accounts for the year ending December 31, 1920, be passed.

Resolution V.—That the Council be, and it is hereby authorized and directed to take such action as it may, in its discretion, think fit, to reduce the bulk of the next and succeeding Annual Municipal Reports.

Resolution VI.—That the estimated expenditure for 1921, contained in the Budget proposed by the retiring Council, together with the recommendations attached thereto, be approved and adopted, and that the Council be and it is hereby authorized to impose, collect and recover the rates, taxes, dues and fees recommended therein, and to raise, should it be considered expedient to do so, upon such terms and in such manner as the Council may in its discretion think fit, a sum not exceeding Tls. 7,000,000 or the equivalent of this sum, for the purposes defined in the estimate of Extraordinary Expenditure.

Resolution VII.—Election of Land Commissioner for the ensuing year.

Resolution VIII.—Election of four Governors of the General Hospital for the ensuing year.

Resolution IX.—Election of two members of the Permanent Education Committee.

Ratepayers intending to ask questions in regard to the Accounts or other matters connected with the foregoing Resolutions, are requested to give notice of such intention at least 24 hours before the Meeting, so that a full answer or other explanation may be given.

Ratepayers desirous of bringing forward additional motions, or of nominating duly qualified persons willing to serve under Resolutions VII, VIII and IX, are required to give notice thereof to the undersigned before 4 p.m. on April 8, for due publication.

By Order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
Secretary.
Council Room,
Shanghai, April 2, 1921.
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Entry-Forms are now available at the Grand Stand.

By Order of the Stewards,
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Shanghai, April 5th, 1921.
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NOTICE

The undersigned hereby give notice:—

That a Public Meeting of Ratepayers will be held in the Town Hall on Thursday, April 14, at 2 o'clock p.m. precisely, to devise ways and means of raising the requisite funds for Municipal purposes, and to pass resolutions in reference thereto and to deliberate and decide upon other Municipal matters and business. At such meeting the accounts of the Council for the year ending December 31, 1920, will be submitted for the sanction and approval of the Ratepayers.

Shanghai, March 24, 1921.
E. D. H. FRASER,
H. B. M. Consul-General.
T. RAASCHOU,
Consul-General for Denmark and Acting Consul for Spain.
DE REUS,
Consul-General for the Netherlands.
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Consul-General for Italy.
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Acting Consul-General for Sweden.
CH. FEGUENNE,
Acting Consul-General for Belgium.
MANOEL DE VEIGA MENEZES,
Consul for Brazil.

NOTICE

The undersigned hereby give notice:—

That a Special Meeting of Ratepayers will be held in the Town Hall on Thursday, April 14, at 1.45 p.m. precisely, to consider and to pass resolutions upon the several matters, notice of which is given in Municipal Notification No. 2821, published in the Municipal Gazette of March 17, 1921.

Shanghai, March 24, 1921.
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Drawings and Specifications for locomotive of the Prairie type	$10.00 (Chinese Currency)
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NOTICE

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BUSINESS

I. Presentation of the accounts for 1920.
II. Election of the various Committees.
III. Revision and approval of the new rules.
IV. Miscellaneous.

Members wishing to make suggestions or ask questions are requested to notify the Hon. Secretary at least 3 days before the meeting.

Members wishing to join any committee are requested to send their applications to the Hon. Secretary.

The COMMITTEE

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The International Recreation Club

SPECIAL ENTRY

THE DERBY CUP.

Will take place on the 14th May, 1921.

ENTRIES for this event close at 7 p.m. on Wednesday, 6th April, 1921, at the Club House, 126 Bubbling Well Road.

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By Order,
Y. S. DAY,
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Notification No. 309. (064/10)

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36692 A. 6

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36829 A 8

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36828 M. 5

MANDARIN and Shanghai dialects can be taught in three months, full course in six months, Lessons given on any evening from 8:30 to 10, and by appointment. Apply to Mr. Wm. C. Dong, 659 Tung Dong Ka Loong.

36800 A. 7

RUSSIAN lessons given by young lady; experienced teacher. Apply to Box 1192, THE CHINA PRESS.

36752 A 9

DANCING: Individual instruction only. New York's latest wonderful, snappy Fox-trots, "Jazz" One-steps, Waltzes. Connie Hendry, Astor House Hotel.

36565 A. 15

Amusement Advertising will be found on Page 16

All Advertisements must be prepaid. Replies must be called for.

Classified Advertisements

2 Cents a Word. Minimum Charge 40 cents.

SITUATIONS VACANT

WANTED immediately by American firm, competent stenographer; permanent position, moderate salary. Apply, stating salary required, to Box 1224, THE CHINA PRESS.

36823 A.8

OFFICE ASSISTANT required by British house. Must have organising and executive ability. Preference given to one with a knowledge of the paint trade. Applications are invited, with full particulars, stating salary required, from British or American subjects. Apply to Box 1233, THE CHINA PRESS.

36842 A. 6

WANTED, a reliable godown-keeper (Chinese), must be able to supply bond in the form of chop of well-known native hong. Must be a willing worker. Reply, giving references, to Box 1199, THE CHINA PRESS.

36759 A 8

COLLECTION SHROFF required by firm not employing compradore. Must be responsible for all accounts and bring own assistant. Must supply cash guarantee amounting to Taels 1,000. Reply, giving references, to Box 1200, THE CHINA PRESS.

36759 A 8

WANTED, compradore with fifteen to twenty thousand taels in cash. Can earn from forty to seventy-five per cent. on his money in an absolutely safe business. For particulars, apply to Box 1166, THE CHINA PRESS.

36689 A. 8

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36838 A 8

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36798 A 6

POSITION on overseas steamer as executive steward, or even boy, by a Cantonese, 42 years old, who for the past five years has been house-boy, with an excellent record. Address recent employer, Box 1211, THE CHINA PRESS.

36788 A 7

EXPERIENCED stenographer (lady), now disengaged, seeks position. Competent and trustworthy. Apply to Box 1222, THE CHINA PRESS.

36820 A 7

JUNIOR clerk (Eurasian) seeks any kind of position. Knowledge of general office work, typing, filing, interpreting. Speaks several Chinese dialects very fluently. Salary $60. Now open for engagement. Apply to Box 1220, THE CHINA PRESS.

36816 A 10

AMERICAN stenographer desires work to do at home after office hours. Apply to Box 1221, THE CHINA PRESS.

36817 A 7

YOUNG lady experienced in English, French commercial correspondence, capable of undertaking translations of any document in both these languages, seeks work after office hours. Knowledge of shorthand. Apply to Box 1201, THE CHINA PRESS.

36760 A.6

BOOKKEEPER, quite experienced, capable of controlling complete set of books, desires engagement. Please apply to Box 1175, THE CHINA PRESS.

36728 A. 16

YOUNG MAN, at present employed, seeks change of position; has excellent office experience, good typist, and is an assistant bookkeeper. Salary to commence, $200, if prospects are favourable. Please apply to Box 1174, THE CHINA PRESS.

36725 A. 6

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Vacant April 1st, one attic room.
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To let, with board, large well-furnished room and bath. Suitable for married couple or two bachelors, also one small room suitable for bachelor. All modern conveniences, garage, and stabling. Apply to Box 1218, THE CHINA PRESS.

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36825 A.8

TO LET, several nicely furnished rooms, with board, bath, all modern conveniences. No. 29 Range Road.

36835 A 19

PLEASANT room suitable for two bachelors, opposite Race Course, private bath, running hot and cold water, available immediately; breakfast only; telephone. Apply to Box 1227, THE CHINA PRESS.

36831 A 10

TO LET, a furnished flat. Two rooms, two verandahs, bathroom, gas, telephone, kitchen. Apply to Box 1231, THE CHINA PRESS.

36840 A. 6

GENTLEMAN wishes to sublet three nice rooms to American or Britisher. Suitable for married couple or two bachelors. Bathroom, verandah, kitchen, and rooms for servants. Electricity, water, gas. House situated near Hongkew Park, 5 minutes from tramway. Applicants must give full particulars about themselves to Box 1232, THE CHINA PRESS.

36841 A. 8

TWO single rooms, furnished and partly furnished, with or without board, in private family. Tel. North 312. 23 Tongshan Road, off Muirhead Road.

36830 A. 6

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36784 A 7

TO LET, with excellent board and attendance, in western district, one large well furnished bedroom with private verandah (or sleeping porch) and bath. Suitable for two or three bachelors or married couple. Tennis lawn and garage. Also one slightly smaller room, suitable for one or two. Apply to No. 1 Ferry Road; Telephone West 1987.

36786 A 10

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36782

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36814

TO LET, one well-furnished room, without board, in French-town. Apply from 1 to 3, No. 49 Rue Marcel Tillot.

36750 A 6

WELL-FURNISHED room, with excellent board, to let at No. 103 Bubbling Well Road; Phone West 805 or call personally.

36795 A. 6

SINGLE room, furnished, with board, use of telephone. Apply to Box 1215, THE CHINA PRESS.

36803 A 7

TO LET, well-furnished room with private bathroom and verandah. Apply to 3 Young Allen Terrace.

36804 A 7

TO LET, from the 15th of April, one big furnished room, with board, suitable for married couple or two bachelors. Please apply No. 5 Young Allen Terrace.

36756 A 6

EXCHANGE AND MART

WRIGHT and BELYEA have for sale ready-to-run Motorboats from 20 to 40 feet long. All speeds. Price to suit everyone. Woosung and 8 North Honan Road. Tel. North 295.

36681

S.S. "GOLDEN STATE." For sale, one berth for gentleman. Nothing extra required. Apply to Box 1225, THE CHINA PRESS.

36826 A 8

HOUSEBOAT for sale, 3 or 4 bunks. A.1. condition, price reasonable. Apply to Box 1228, THE CHINA PRESS.

36833 A 8

WANTED to buy Sporting gun 12 bore Winchester rifle, revolver, diamond two karat or over. Give full particulars and price. Apply to Box 1234, THE CHINA PRESS. A. 7

For Sale, poultry, good strain, white Leghorns, white Orpingtons, Langshans, one Japanese Bantam cockerel, one sulphur-crested cockatoo with large wire cage, white Angora guinea pigs, white rabbits, black rabbits, pigeons, one child's riding pony, well trained, two saddles and bridles to fit same, one child's steel hunting cap, one child's riding habit, three fine European female goats, one fine European male goat from imported stock, one incubator, two camphor wood insect cabinets with butterfly, etc., collections. Owner going home. Address to Box 1230, THE CHINA PRESS.

36837 A. 8

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36833 A. 8

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36687

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36806 A 10

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36792 A 10

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36753 A 6

LAND for sale, 8.761 mow (actual area) on Hungjao Road, with good road frontage. Tls. 600 per mow. Very desirable locality for a country house. Apply to Box 1194, THE CHINA PRESS.

36769 A.9

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36651 A. 6

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Incorporated by Royal Charter 1853.

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Reserve Fund 3,500,000
Reserve Liability of Shareholders £3,000,000

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C. J. SCOTT, Manager.

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Subscribed Capital . 72,000,000.00
Paid-up Capital 68,400,000.00
Reserve Fund (1/6/20) 69,500,000.00

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Telephone C. 1941.
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T. TSENG, Manager.

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Silver $21,500,000

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Reserve Fund 26,960,000
Capital Contributed by Chinese Government ..... Tls. 3,500,000
Reserve Fund 1,750,000

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Capital paid up £1,000,000

HEAD OFFICE
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No. 2 Ningpo Road

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Shanghai Branch:
22 KIUKIANG ROAD

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N. S. MARSHALL, Manager.
1a Kiukiang Road.

Banque Industrielle de Chine

Capital authorised Frs. 250,000,000
Capital subscribed „ 150,000,000
Capital paid up .. „ 75,000,000
Reserves ..... „ 40,000,000

One third of the Capital i. e. Frs. 50,000,000 subscribed by THE GOVERNMENT OF THE CHINESE REPUBLIC

Statutes approved by the Government of the Chinese Republic on January 11th, 1913.

President: ANDRE BERTHELOT
General Manager: A. J. PERNOTTE

HEAD OFFICE:
74 RUE SAINT LAZARE, PARIS
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B. ADAM, Manager.
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M. J. HERBSCHLEB, Acting Manager.

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Paid up Capital 2,000,000
Reserve Fund 500,000

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RUE CHENG, Acting Manager.

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Established 1908

Capital $1,000,000.00
Reserve Fund .... $ 133,316.00
Undivided Profits . $ 71,030.00

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LI MING, Manager.

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Aut. Cap. Gold It. Lire.. 16,000,000
Paid up Capital ..Silver $1,200,000
Paid up Cap. Gold It. Lire 4,000,000
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Canada: Canadian Bank of Commerce.
South America: Banca Italo Belga.
Switzerland: Banca Union di Credito.
Current, fixed and savings accounts carried in Taels, Dollars, Sterling, U.S. Gold, Italian Lire, Francs and other currencies. Terms on application.
General banking business transacted. Special facilities for Italian exchange.
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G. GIACHINO: ROBERT LEE
Managers.

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Chung Foo Union Bank

(Established in 1917)
Statutes approved by the Government in 1918
Head Office: TIENTSIN

Subscribed Capital $2,000,000.00
Paid-Up Capital $1,500,000.00
Reserve Fund ..... $ 124,000.00

Managing Director: T. Clarence Sun
Deputy Managing Director: Nieh Chi-wei

Branches and Agencies in Domestic Cities and Foreign Countries:

Tientsin	Chinkiang	Ichang	Yokohama
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			Cincinati

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Shanghai Branch:
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Every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted. Interest allowed on Current Accounts and Fixed Deposits in taels, dollars, and other currencies according to arrangement.

Credits granted on approved securities.

Y. R. Sun Manager
T. D. Zar, Sub-Manager

PARK-UNION FOREIGN BANKING CORPORATION

Capital G.$4,000,000
Surplus and Undivided Profits G.$754,000
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TOKYO PARIS YOKOHAMA
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Accepted in Taels, Mexican Dollars, U. S. Dollars, Canadian Dollars, Sterling, on Application.

Every description of banking and exchange business transacted.

F. V. REILLY, Manager.

The Shanghai Commercial & Savings Bank, Ltd.

Capital ..... $ 1,000,000.00
Reserve ..... $ 200,000.00

Head Office: 9 Ningpo Road

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BERLIN	AMSTERDAM	TOKYO
SEATTLE	SAN FRANCISCO	MANILA
CHICAGO	SINGAPORE	OSAKA

Every description of banking and exchange business transacted.

Commercial Bank of China

Head Office: SHANGHAI

	Sh. Tls.
Subscribed Capital ...	5,000,000
Paid-Up Capital	2,500,000

Advances made on approved securities. Bills discounted.

Interest allowed on Current Accounts at 2 per cent por annum on daily balance. On Fixed deposits:—
For 3 months at 3% per annum.
For 6 months at 4% per annum.
For 12 months at 5% per annum.
On deposits in Dollars according to arrangement.

H. C. MARSHALL, Chief Manager.

The Chinese American Bank of Commerce

(Formerly Commercial and Industrial Bank of China)

Established by American and Chinese Capitalists under Special Charter of the Government of China issued April 12th, 1919.

Authorised Capital G.$10,000,000
Paid-up Capital 5,000,000

HEAD OFFICE:
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President:
The Honorable Chien Nen-shun.
American Vice-President:
James A. Thomas, Esq., Peking.
Chinese Vice President:
Hsu Un-yuan, Esq., Peking.
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Manila Branch:
Manila, P. I.

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Shanghai Branch:
N. 11 Nanking Road.
Tel. Central Nos. 5841, 5842,
E. KANN, Manager.
LOUIS SHEN, Assistant Manager,
SOOYII K. SHEN, Assistant Manager.

The Bank of China

(Specially authorised by Presidental Mandate of 15th April, 1915)

Authorised Capital $60,000,000.00
Paid-Up Capital .. $12,279,800.00
Reserve Fund ... $1,298,522.60
Special Reserve Fund $1,898,393.62

HEAD OFFICE: PEKING.
Branches and Agencies:

Peking	Taiyuan	Shanghai
Tientsin	Kaifeng	Hankow
Chanchun	Wuhu	Ichang
Antung	Anking	Changsha
Dalny	Hangchow	Nanchang
Moukden	Ningpo	Kiukiang
Newchwang	Nanking	Foochow
Harbin	Chinkiang	Amoy
Kirin	Hsuchow	Canton
Tsinan	Soochow	Hongkong
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SHANGHAI BRANCH.
3 HANKOW ROAD.

Loans granted on approved Securities. Local Bills discounted. Interest allowed on Current Accounts and Fixed Deposits in Taels or Dollars according to arrangement.

SUNG HAN-CHANG, Manager.
Shanghai, 15th February, 1919.

Launch Services

TODAY

The tender conveying passengers and baggage on board the T.K.K. s.s. Tenyo Maru will leave the Customs Jetty at 4 p.m.

Sunday, April 10, 1921.

The tender conveying passengers and baggage on board the L. V. Lang s.s. Yungshin will leave the Customs Jetty at 2 p.m.

Friday, April 15, 1921.

The tender Whangpoo conveying passengers and mails on board the M.M. s.s. Chili will leave the French Mail Jetty at 2 p.m.

Financial And Commercial News

BENJAMIN AND POTTS SHARE LIST

Yesterday's Prices

Stock	Quotations Closing
Banks	
H. K. and S. B.	$865
Chartered	£71⅛
Russo-Asiatic	Rs. 250
Marine Insurances	
Canton	H.$455 S.
North China	Tls. 158
Union of Canton	H.$275 B.
Yangtsze	$25 B.
Far Eastern Ins.	Tls. 22½ B.
Fire Insurances	
China Fire	H.$125 B.
Hongkong Fire	H.$337 B.
Shipping	
Indo-China Def.	H.$275 B.
Indo-China Pref.	H.$25 B.
"Shell"	105⅛
Shanghai Tug ord.	Tls. 43
Shanghai Tug pref.	Tls. 37½ B.
Mining	
Kaiping	Tls. 20 B.
Oriental Cons.	17 –
Raub	1.30.75 B.
Docks	
Hongkong Dock	H.$200 B.
Shanghai Dock	Tls. 139 S.
New Eng. Works.	Tls. 14 B.
Wharves	
Shanghai Wharf	Tls. 132½ B.
Hongkong Wharf.	Tls. 98 B.
Lands and Hotels	
Anglo-French Land	Tls. 81 B.
Shanghai Land	Tls. 77 B.
Weihaiwei Land	Tls. 5
S'hai Hotel Ltd.	Tls. 65 B.
China Realty ord.	Tls. 50
China Realty pref.	Tls. 50
Cotton Mills	
E-wo (ord.)	Tls. 360 B.
E-wo (pref.)	Tls. 97½
Laou-kung-mow	Tls. 335
Oriental	Tls. 14 B.
Shanghai Cotton	Tls. 118 B.
Kungyik	Tls. 37 B.
Yang'tszepoo	Tls. 23 B.
Yangtszepoo Pref.	Tls. 97
Industrials	
Butler Tiles	Tls. 25
China Sugar	Tls. 235 S.
Green Island	Tls. 18.50 B.
Langkats	Tls. 13 S.
Major Bros.	Tls. 5
S'hai Sumatra	Tls. 125 B.
Stores	
Hall & Holtz	$9½ B.
Llewellyn	130
Lane, Crawford	$87½ B.
Moutrie	140
Watson	H.$8¼ S.
Weeks	$12 B.
Rubbers (Local)	
Alma	Tls. 3 B.
Amherst	Tls. 0.15 B.
Anglo-Java	Tls. 3.60 B.
Anglo-Dutch	Tls. 2½
Ayer Tawah	Tls. 20
Batu Anam 1918.	Tls. 0.40 B.
Bukit Toh Alang.	Tls. 1¼ B.
Bute	Tls. 0.60
Chemor United	Tls. 0.40 B.
Chempedak	Tls. 4
Cheng	Tls. 1¼
Consolidated	Tls. 1¼ B.
Dominion	Tls. 3½
Gula Kalumpong.	Tls. 4½ B.
Java Consolidated	Tls. 7
Kamunting	Tls. 1½ B.
Kapala	Tls. 0.15 B.
Kapayang	Tls. 10
Karan	Tls. 7
Kota Bahroe	Tls. 0.45 B.
Kroewoek Java	Tls. 6½ B.
Padang	Tls. 6
Pengkalan Durian	Tls. 3
Permata	Tls. 0.55 B.
Repah	Tls. 0.50
Samagaga	Tls. 0.45
Seekee	Tls. 1
Semambu	Tls. 0.50 B.
Senawang	Tls. 3½
S'hai Klebang	Tls. 0.30 B.
Shanghai Malay	Tls. 3
S'hai Malay pref.	Tls. 6 B.
Shanghai Pahang	Tls. 1
Sungala	Tls. 0.50
Sungei Duri	Tls. 4¾ B.
Sua Manggis	Tls. 3½
S'hai Kalantan	Tls. 0.55
S'hai Seremban	Tls. 0.60
Taiping	Tls. 0.60 S.
Tanah Merah	Tls. 0.60
Tebong	Tls. 8 B.
Ulobri	Tls. 3½
Ziangbe	Tls. 2.60 B.
Miscellaneous	
C.I. & E. Lumber	Tls. 325
Culty Dairy	Tls. 9½
Shanghai Trams	Tls. 100 B.
Shanghai Gas	Tls. 25 B.
Horse Bazaar	Tls. 40½
Shanghai Mercury	Tls. 25
S'hai Telephone	Tls. 87 B.
S'hai Waterworks	Tls. 110

S. Sellers. Sa. Sales. B. Buyers.

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Rubber Prices

Messrs. J. A. Wattie and Company have received the following telegram from Messrs. Barker and Company, London, dated April 2.

Average Sport price standard quality Ribbed Smoked Sheet 10d.

Average Spot price standard quality First Crepe 11¼d.

Market weak.

Exchange and Bullion

Shanghai, April 5, 1921

Exchange and Bullion

Sovereigns: buying rate,
@ 3/1 = Tls. 6.49
@ exch. 72.6 = Mex. $8.93

Gold Dollars: Bank buying rate
@ 60⅛ = Tls. 1.65
@ exch. 72.6 = Mex. $2.28

Mex. Dollars: Market Rate: 72.3625

Shanghai Gold Bars: 978 touch Tls. 373

Bar Silver 998 touch ... Tls. 111

Copper Cash ... per tael 2,012

Native Interest ..... Tls. 05

Latest London Quotations

Bar Silver ..... 33⅛d.

Bank Rate of Discount 7%

Ex., Paris on London Fr. 56.05

Ex., New York on London T.T. G.$3.91

Exchange Closing Quotations

London	T.T.	3/1
London	Demand	3/1¼
India	T.T.	237
Paris	T.T.	870
Paris	Demand	873
New York	T.T.	60¼
New York	Demand	60½
Hongkong	T.T.	75
Japan	T.T.	79¼
Batavia	T.T.	184
Singapore	T.T.	75

Bank's Closing Buying Rates

London	Demand	3/3¾
London	4 m-s. Cdts.	3/4
London	4 m-s. Docy.	3/4⅛
London	6 m-s. Cdts.	3/5¼
London	6 m-s. Docy.	3/5¾
Paris	4 m-s.	970
New York	o/d. Docy.	63¼
New York	4 m-s. Docy.	68

Tourists' Exchange

£10 @ exch. 3/2¾ = Sh. Tls. 61.93

G.$50 @ exch. 63¼ = Sh. Tls. 79.05

Fr. 250 @ exch. 920 = Sh. Tls. 27.17

1 Shanghai Tael = Mex. $1.37 at Bank's selling rate for Mexican Dollars.

ROUBLES EXCHANGE

Today Banks Buying Rate For Roubles:

Roubles 32,000 ..... = Tls. 100
" 100 ..... = Mex. $0.44

BANKS SELLING RATE FOR MARKS

Marks 3,500 ..... = Tls. 100
" 100 ..... = Mex. $3.96

Lira Exchange

Shanghai, April 5, 1921

Latest Bank Selling Rates:
It. Lire 14.50 = 1 Tael
Equivalent Foreign Quotations:
It. Lire 94.35 = 1 Pound Sterling
It. Lire 24.10 = 1 U.S. Dollar
It. Lire 168.80 = 100 Fr.

CUSTOMS HOUSE EXCHANGE RATES FOR APRIL

Hk. Tls.	5.78	@ 3/1¼	£1
"	1	@ 883	Fr. 9.83
"	1.48	@ 60¾	Gold $1
"	1	@ 79	Yen 1.41
"	1	@ 235½	Rs. 2.62
"	1	@ 14.85	It. Lire 16.54
"	1	@ 1.50	Mex. $1.50
"	1	@ —	Roubles —

Stock Exchange

Transactions

Shanghai, April 5, 1921

OFFICIAL

Sumatras Tls. 125.00
Yangtszepoo (Ord.) Tls. 23.25

UNOFFICIAL

Kung Yik Cotton Tls. 37.00
Shanghai Docks Tls. 138.00
Shanghai Lands Tls. 78.00

The Small Investors' Co.

8A Peking Road, Shanghai
Shanghai, April 5, 1921
BUSINESS REPORTED

Far Eastern Insce.	@	Tls. 23.00
Almas	@	Tls. 3.50
Yangtszepoo Cottons	@	Tls. 23.25
Shanghai Lands..	@	Tls. 78.00
Telephones	@	Tls. 87.00

Douglas Fleming.
Manager.

Chartered Stock And Produce Exchange Ltd.

Closing Quotation Of Transactions yesterday

Shanghai, April 5, 1921

Chinese Bonds 1st year 5%
$21.50 April
$21.65 May

Han-Yeh-Ping
$26.00 April

Nuzu Electric Tramways Co., (Preferred).
$21.00 April

The Shanghai Flour Exchange
$49.60 May

The Chartered S. & P. Ex.,
$79.10 April
$80.10 May

Tungchow Cotton
Tls. 22.90 April
" 23.00 May
" 23.20 June
" 23.60 July
" 23.85 September

Local Yarn for Standard 16's Cloudy Stork
Tls. 136.60 April
" 133.20 May
" 130.60 June
" 129.80 July
" 129.80 August

Sharebrokers' Association

Transactions

Shanghai, April 5, 1921

UNOFFICIAL
Far Eastern Ins. Tls. 23.00
S.M.C. 6% Debs Gold Loan £100

Rubber Outputs

	Feb.	Mar.
Alma	16,000	
Amherst	4,454	
Anglo-Dutch	60,000	
Anglo-Java	151,400	
Ayer Tawah	23,215	22,857
Batu Anam	11,495	
Bukit Toh Alang	21,787	
Bute	21,500	
Chempedak	8,000	
Chemor	18,822	
Cheng	8,020	
Consolidated	44,700	
Dominion	16,552	
Gula Kalumpong	101,500	73,000
Java Consolidated	58,800	
Kamunting	20,219	
Kapala	10,852	
Kapayang	—	—
Karan	8,567	—
Kota Bahroe	—	—
Kroewoek	44,500	—
Langkat	—	—
Padang	13,300	—
Permata	—	—
Pengkalan	—	—
Repah	—	—
Samagaga	18,010	9,064
Semambu	11,888	
Senawang	8,440	
See Kee	—	—
Shanghai-Seremban	12,044	
Shanghai-Kelantan	19,000	
Shanghai-Pahang	12,087	
Shanghai-Klebang	7,463	
Shanghai-Sumatra	—	—
Sua Manggis	14,986	13,000
Sungala	—	—
Sungei Duri	14,770	—
Taiping	—	—
Tebong	33,000	
Tanah Merah	25,000	
Ulobri	—	—
Ziangbe	55,100	

Provision Prices In Local Markets

Prices quoted are in Mexican dollar cents at Hongkew Market compiled on April 5, 1921.

Beef	per lb.	15-22
Mutton	"	17-22
Pork	"	25-30
Veal	"	25-32
Fish		
Bream	per lb.	14-16
Cod	"	14-16
Mandarin	"	30-40
Mackerel	"	25-30
Pomfret	"	25-30
Salmon	"	20-25
Samli	"	none
Soles	"	18-20
Whitebait	"	16-20
Game, Poultry And Eggs		
Deer	each	none
Duck	"	90-$1.20
Eggs	per doz.	15-18
Fowl	per lb.	22-25
Geese	each	$1.00-$1.40
Hare	each	none
Partridge	"	none
Pheasant	"	none
Plover	"	8-12
Quail	"	20-25
Snipe	"	16-18
Teal	"	14-16
Turkey	per lb.	40-45
Woodcock	each	45-50
Wild Duck	"	35-40
Wild Geese	"	none
Pigeons	"	20-25
Wild Pigeons	"	10-12
Fruit		
Apricots	per lb.	none
Apples	"	20-25
Bananas	"	6-8
Chestnuts	per lb.	14-15
Cherries	"	none
Figs	per doz.	none
Grapes	per lb.	none
Lemons	each	8-10
Lichees	per lb.	none
Mangoes	each	20-25
Oranges	per lb.	12-14
Peaches	per lb.	none
Pears	"	10-12
Persimmons	"	none
Peebces	"	none
Plums	"	none
Pumeloes	each	16-18
Pineapples	"	none
Strawberries	per lb.	none
Walnuts	per lb.	12-14
Vegetables		
Artichokes	per lb.	3-4
Asparagus	per doz.	none
Broad Beans	per lb.	4-5
Beetroot	per bunch	2-3
Bamboo Shoots	per lb.	12-16
Cabbage	each	8-12
Carrots	per bunch	2-3
Cauliflower	each	15-25
Celery	per bunch	8-10
Egg plant	per lb.	10-14
French Beans	"	12-15
Green Corn	each	none
Leeks	per bunch	2-3
Onions	per lb.	12-15
Parsnips	per bunch	3-4
Mushrooms	per lb.	50-60
Peas	per lb.	10-12
Potatoes	per pic.	$2.40-$2.80
Spinach	per lb.	2-3
Tomatoes	"	12-15
Turnips	per bunch	2-3

Grain And Flour

Flour American	50 lb.	$5.80
Flour Shanghai	50	$3.00
Rice	per 200 lb.	$8.30
Milk		
Foreign dairies	per bottle	$0.20
Chinese dairies	"	$0.1[illegible]
Fuel		
House Coal	per ton	Tls. 19.00
Stove Coal	"	Tls. 23.00
Firewood	per 50 bundles	$1.00
Laundry		
Per 100 articles		$3.00-$4.00

Chief Inspector.
E. Kilner.

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SHANGHAI BRANCH.

Authorised Capital ..Mex $5,000,000
Paid Up Capital 2,500,000

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Zah Yung-jei, Manager.
Chen Ting-hsi, Sub-manager.
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NOTICE

I have examined the Day Book of

Watson's Mineral Water Co.

and certify that in accordance therewith the sales of Soda and Unsweetened Waters during the month of January, 1921, amounted to a total of 2,243 dozens. This at 3 cts. per dozen represents a contribution of $67.29 to be made to the China Famine Relief Fund in accordance with the Company's undertaking.

Shanghai, 31st March, 1921. A. H. MANCELL.
SETH, MANCELL & McLURE,
Public Accountants and Auditors.

Received from Watson's Mineral Water Co., the sum of $67.29 with many thanks.

Iancy H. B. MAUCHAN,
Hon Secretary,
WOMEN'S FAMINE RELIEF SOCIETY.

Our thanks are again due to Mr. H. A. Mancell, of Messrs. Seth, Mancell & McLure, Public Accountants and Auditors, for his kindness in giving his services gratis in connection with above.

Watson's Mineral Water Co.

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What The Chita Government Is Doing

THE Constituent Assembly of the Eastern Republic, now in session at Chita has adopted two important resolutions. One is a direct address to the people and government of China appealing for recognition as an established state and for the full resumption of trade relations. The other is an address to the nations of the world. This not only asks for recognition as a state but sets forth in twelve paragraphs the methods by which the new state is to be governed. It is a very interesting document in more ways than one for while the Far Eastern Republic and the Moscow government are working hand in hand, the form of government contemplated by the Chita Assembly is somewhat different from the Soviet form, at least as the latter is understood here. There is this to be said however in this connection: The Soviet form of government has undergone some changes and probably will undergo some more.

As for the Far Eastern Republic, the address to the nations of the world, after setting forth the boundaries of the new state, declares that it resents the stationing of the armed forces of any power in its territory as an infringement of the rights of the Russian nation and regards the same as an act of violence and usurpation, violating the fundamental principles of international law and civilisation. This of course is aimed at Japan.

It also recognises all treaty rights and obligations of the former Russian Empire. Some of the other paragraphs follow:

5.—The form of state, whose foundation the Constituent Assembly has been called to lay, is to be based on principles of true democracy and selfgovernment, insuring the sovereignty of the entire people, the inalienable rights of its toiling majority, voicing its will directly through its representatives elected on the basis of universal, direct, equal, and secret ballot, and proportional representation, which protects the rights of minorities.

6.—Regarding broad self-activity of the population and freedom of initiative for individuals as well as groups of the population, as a condition necessary for development of the country—the Constituent Assembly abolishes all class distinctions and privileges and guarantees to all citizens their political liberties, namely: inviolability of person, dwelling, correspondence, freedom of press, speech, assembly, unions, strikes, conscience, and travel.

7.—Corporal and capital punishment, odious survivals of the former regime, are henceforth forever abolished.

8.—In beginning peaceful organisation of the state, the Constituent Assembly announces that the civil war is ended, all political offenders are granted amnesty by an act of oblivion, which the Constituent Assembly will pass immediately.

9.—The institution of private property is preserved. The state guarantees to all citizens of the Republic as well as to citizens of other countries coming here with peaceful intentions complete inviolability of their property. Restrictions regarding the right of private ownership are admissible only in the interests of the entire nation, and in cases precisely defined in the constitution.

10.—All the land as the prime source of sustenance for the entire nation, also its resources, forests, and waters are declared inalienable national property.

11.—Pursuing in the realm of economics a policy of open door for foreign industry and commerce, and striving for resumption of economic relations with other nations on the basis of trade the Far Eastern Republic will take all measures to attract foreign capital and initiative to develop the natural resources of the country, without allowing infringement on the sovereign rights of the people of the Far East, and on condition of observance of laws protecting the rights of the workers.

12.—All small native tribes and national minorities included in the constituency of the Far Eastern Republic are guaranteed the right of broad autonomy, necessary for national developement.

Firmly bent upon defending its sovereign rights, inspired with an unfaltering desire to establish peaceful conditions, the people of the Far East will build its relations with neighboring nations on the foundation of mutual understanding, respect, confidence, and peaceful co-operation. With faith in the constructive power of the revolutionary people of the Far East, and their readiness to maintain their rights to peaceful work, the Constituent Assembly will continue its activity.

The Note to the Chinese nation and Government, we quote in full:

After continuous, intense efforts in an atmosphere of cavil and intrigues of the enemies of democracy, the Russian Far East has come out victorious, has achieved unification, and is now, through its representatives in the Constituent Assembly, determining its own destiny. To the population of the Far East, who have suffered so much in their struggle for liberty, the present moment is the most sublime, as can come only to a nation beginning a new, bright, free, and independent life. In this happy, solemn hour we instinctively turn to the old, tried friend of the Russian people, to the Chinese people and their representatives.

Great China, who has herself experienced many shocks and is striving to restore her national unity of state is able to understand the joy of the Russian people, who have united in the Far East, and appreciate the sincerity of the friendly sympathy with which the Constituent Assembly addresses the Chinese nation in its desire to lay the foundation for unity of state and national independence.

"China and Russia had common frontier lines extending many thousand miles now the Far Eastern Republic has inherited from Russia a considerable part of these border lines. Naturally, disorder and disturbances on one side of the frontier are also immediately felt on the other side of it. When disarming the Semenoff gangs China had a clear conception of this fact and was acting in her own interest. This has become especially obvious now, since the counter-revolutionary forces of Ungern have penetrated Chinese territory. Had the relations of both republics been defined the Chinese nation and its government would hardly have been brought to suffer the intrusion of counter-revolutionary gangs on Chinese territory. The people and government of the Far Eastern Republic together with China could easily have found a way of averting the common menace threatening them on the part of these gangs. The free people of the Far Eastern Republic are striving to establish and strengthen good-neighborly relations on the basis of mutual respect, justice, and welfare.

"The Far Eastern Republic and China are closely connected by common interests in defending their independence against foreign forces, and by economic ties. The market of the Russian Far East is sufficiently big to interest commercial and industrial China. The Constituent Assembly declares solemnly that the people of the Russian Far East are absolutely free from any race prejudices or aggressive tendencies. Reckoning with the fact that in the past Russian-Chinese mutual relations had been moulded under the influence of the Imperial government tending to restriction of Chinese sovereignty,—the Constituent Assembly is ready to revise treaties formerly concluded, including the treaty regarding the Chinese Eastern Railroad, on the principle of reciprocity between China and the Far Eastern Republic.

"The people want conclusion of firm agreements, which would afford the population of the Far Eastern Republic and of China an opportunity for resumption of regular commerce and thus promote the welfare of both nations. Having outlined the draft of its constructive plans the Constituent Assembly unanimously appeals to the Government of the Chinese Republic requesting it to recognise the Far Eastern Republic and enter into official communications with it.'

Correspondence

NOT MR. A. N. SUDAKOFF

Shanghai, April 4, 1921.

Editor, THE CHINA PRESS

Dear Sir: In your paper of the 2nd April 1921, appeared a notice concerning the case of Mr. Reuter, who was arrested and tried on a forgery charge. In this notice appears also the name: "Sam Sudakof." "Sam" is not a Russian name. Kindly announce that I have no connection with the above persons and their case, and never had. Expressing my thanks, I remain, Faithfully Yours.

Alexander Nicolaevitch Sudakoff
Former Director Association of Urals Paper Mills.

FROM HUNAN'S COMMANDER

Changsha, Hunan, Mar. 9, 1921.

Editor, THE CHINA PRESS

Dear Sir:—Regarding the news in your paper of February 25, your Hankow correspondent, writing on February 21, said that the authorities of Hunan Province have created an Opium monopoly for sale by auction. In consequence of this, he said one of the Hupeh military officers, Shar-do-yung by name, offered $500,000 for it. Previous to this, he asserted the Opium Trade was in vogue all over the province and that many of the officers and soldiers had made big profits out of the business. The chief ones he said made a gain of about $100,000 per annum; even the soldiers gained an income more than that which they receive out of the government payments. Consequently, to them, the Opium Trade had meant quick fortune.

Of late, the Hunan Government he said was short of money for the payments either of military or civil. Some time ago, the Government tried to decrease the army by founding a District Organisation instead of that which called Military; but unfortunately, it resulted that the District Organisation though established left the Military one still in existence. Therefore monthly expenses increased to $1,600,000 when before it was only $800,000 per month.

There is another statement that the Government had taken $500,000 in cash out of the Commercial Bank which is founded partly by the Government and partly by the Chamber of Commerce. The bank, he said, does not continue operations for want of the reserve fund; and people talked of bankruptcy all over the town. Thus, he said, people suggested to the Government the matter of the Opium Monopoly and in the course of time they got its permission without any struggle. In fulfilling such a bargain people crowded at the Civil Governor's Office. Surely such a disgrace is a stain to the history of the said province!

I am quite surprised to learn of this terrible news. The authorities of this province are very strict as to opium smoking so that orders have been published prohibiting citizens to take it. Even soldiers hate it with a vengeance that none of them would touch it with tongs. From whence does the rumor come? I wonder!

As to the Commercial Bank, I can assure you that it has funds enough to meet payments and a very good reputation too. As a general rule, holidays were granted within Chinese New Year but now it has opened to the public and every one is feeling satisfied with its advantage as well as convenience. I can hardly think from whence your Hankow journalist heard such a rumor! I hope he will not write anything when it is untrue for people are easily to be guided by falsehood when they lack common sense.

Now, I take the liberty to ask you to make this correction. Thanking you in anticipation I am, Yours sincerely,

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And now for our encouragement
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They might get back to working.

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Old Vamps And New

In the days of ancient Egypt Cleopatra was a vamp,
And they tell us that Delilah, too, was somewhat of a champ.
The historians are vivid in their tales of Anne Boleyn,
And the fancy way she tickled Henry VIII. beneath the chin.
There are stories of "Come-hither," girls who flourished in the past,
But the One-nine-two-one vamp're has 'em all lashed to the mast.
Now they tell us how Du Barry worked her foibles on the men,
But her style was slightly cramped because there was no Wall Street then.
And she found no "Wall Street broker" or a king of high finance,
But she had to vamp a piker like the pauper King of France.
And the famous Queen of Sheba was an adept at the game.
But she never had a limousine or town-car to her name.

They inform us that fair Helen was an adept at the game.
And that Zaza, the red headed, was a flashy sort of skirt.
All the story books regale us with the deeds of old Queen Liz
And how she vamped Sir Walter, with the Van Dyke on his phiz.
But all these dames together couldn't charm as many men
As a single Broadway flapper, for they were beginners then.

And they never got the sables and they never got the mink,
And they couldn't charm the steam yachts from the profiteering gink;
And they didn't have the airships nor apartments on the Drive,
For their art was not perfected when these ladies wore alive.
We are slow to criticize 'em, and we do not think we should.
For, with what they had to work on, they all did the best they could.

Why Japan Should Agree To A Compromise Over Yap

Mr. Masanori Ito, sub-editor of the Tono Jiron (Eastern Review), who has just returned from a tour in the South Sea Islands, writes in the current number on the question of Yap and expresses his opinion that the island is worth four battle ships in defensive strength.

"The situation pending between Japan and the United States is apparently serious. For the past ten years various questions have endangered the friendly relations between the two countries. Of late the California question and the revision of the Anglo-Japanese Alliance have combined to complicate the situation, which was affected for the worse by the Langdon affair in Vladivostok. Yet I believe in an amicable solution of the question of Yap cables, and we see a faint streak of dawn in the real purpose of the American claims. The settlement is not at all difficult. It goes without saying that Japan has to suffer in making a compromise. For the protest of the United States against the control of the island by Japan, though superficially it denies Japan's rights to the island, evidently aims at the concession of cables, and there lies the hope of solution.

"It must be noted that the Americans have learned lessons in diplomacy from the Peace Conference. They know now that the diplomatic tact in the European style is far more effective than their downright methods. Although they insist that they can not acknowledge the Japanese mandate over Yap Island, their real intention is to take possession of the cables there. Should Japan be deprived of her mandate, the result would not only affect the nation economically and politically as well as spiritually. It is certain that the Japanese nation would feel humiliated. For it means the lack of confidence in the civilisation of Japan. The proposed International Committee would be in a position to supervise the administration of Japan in the island.

"Indeed Japan could not bear the pain of being deprived of her mandate over Yap Island. But with less pain and humiliation she could concede the cables in Yap to the United States, who would surely say 'Give us the control of the cables and we will recognise your mandate.' The question, then, is whether it would be good for Japan to concede the control of cables to the United States and secure control of the island.

"It would be a considerable sacrifice for Japan to concede the independent control of three cables in Yap Island to the United States. But we must note that the United States has wasted her expenditure on the construction of naval ports in Guam should Japan retain the mandate over the South Sea Islands. The American island is isolated by the Japanese mandate. The American foothold for a naval offensive would lose its value should Japan occupy Yap. For the Japanese defensive measure the isolation of Guam would be the best plan. Taking these circumstances in view, one may see what a sacrifice it is for Japan to concede the cables in question.

"However, I am of opinion that we should concede them at once. The strategic wireless net of the United States is extending on an astounding scale, compared with which the cables of Yap are nothing. The real importance is in another direction. If Japan retains her mandate over the island, we can at any time dispose of the cables. We should accept the proposal of the United States at once.

"The cause of the dispute partly lies with us. We ought to have confirmed the mandate over the island when we received the notice of mandate on May 8, 1919. Now that the United States renewed her protest against Japan with double vigor, we should make the best of the situation by complying with her request. We missed a chance last year which can never be recovered. There is no other way for Japan at present than to concede the right of cables."

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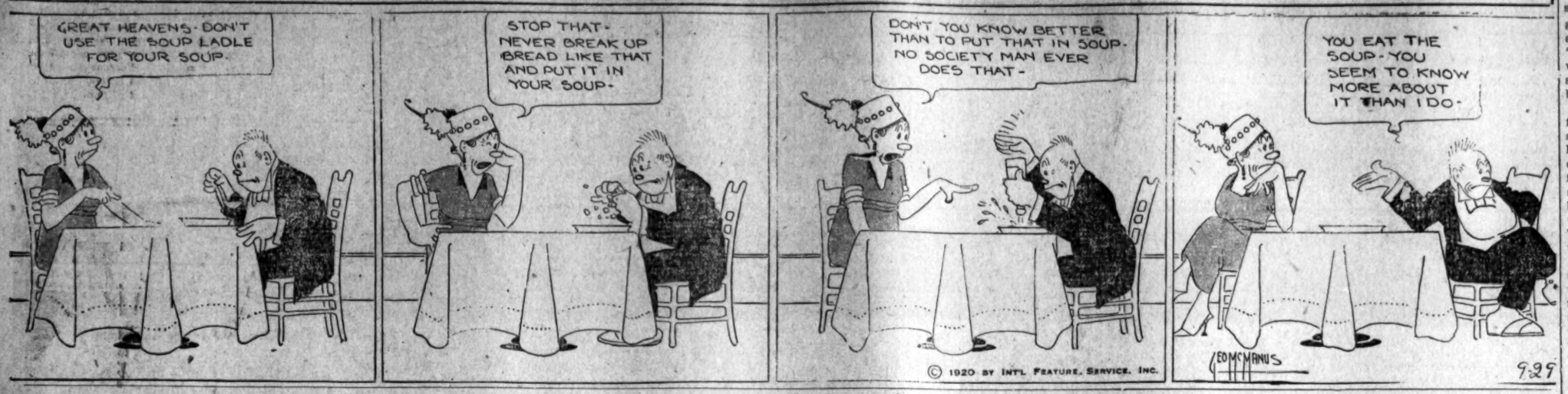
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Far East News Notes

FORTIFYING THE PACIFIC

The Japan War Office authorities have decided, reports the Yomiuri, to fortify Hachijo Island in the Pacific. Lieut.-General Fukuda Masataro, Vice-Chief of the General Staff, has left for the island on board the warship Chihaya, accompanied by experts, for the purpose of a preliminary inspection.

The paper adds the current formula that the proposed fortification of the island in not a new scheme, the estimates for the plan having been passed by the Diet some years ago.

SAGHALIEN AND MAINLAND

An official bulletin just issued by the war office gives the gist of the declaration made on the 21st instant by the Japanese garrison at Russian Saghalien concerning its contemplated occupation of Nikolaevsk, and other districts opposite the island as follows:

"The Imperial Japanese Government in accordance with the declaration already made last year concerning the temporary occupation of important districts in Saghalien, is going to station troops in the near future at Nikolaievsk, Dekastri, Mago, Sophisk, and other important districts in the hope of maintaining peace and order in those localities by temporarily introducing civil administration.

"The Russian people resident in the above districts are accordingly requested to place implicit trust in the Japanese troops in sympathy with the real motive of the proposed action, and to go about their respective business as usual."

THE LAND OF MANSEN

It is reported by the Jiji that on an understanding with the Colonisation Bureau, the Governor of Kwantung, and the Governor-General of Korea, and under the support of General Chang Tso-lin, the Military Inspector of the Three Eastern Provinces in Manchuria, Japanese and Korean capitalists in the peninsula, sixty-three in number, are about to create a company with a capital of Y.5,000,000 under the name of the Manshu Homin Kabushiki Kaisha, the aim of which is to make loans to bandits and refractory Koreans and secure their livelihood (presumably for the purpose of "reforming" them).

In the neighborhood of Changtung lands covering an area of 500 square li will be leased and cultivated for this purpose. Mr. Soga (a Japanese) interested in the project in is Osaka to raise funds and has now concluded loans of Y.1,200,000. His return will give definiteness to the policy to be elaborated.

TEACHERS' STRIKE IN CHINA

Recent Peking dispatches report an occurrence in China which cannot but excite sympathy in our minds, says the Tokio Asahi: We refer to the inability of the Chinese authorities to pay the salaries of professors and school teachers owing to their unancial difficulties.

The responsibility for the matter, of course, rests with the Peking Government. In fact, Mr. Fan, the Minister of Education, demanded disbursement from the Finance Department with a resolve to resign if the demand was not entertained, and left Peking as no remedy was granted. At present in China there are not many such men of ability and character as Mr. Fan, and though there are various criticisms of the China Cabinet, the fact that he was included in its membership was one of its notable successes, and it was one of the reasons why the Cabinet was well received by the public. If this fact is noted by General Chin, he should not leave Mr. Fan in the lurch. Judging by the latest reports, a temporary patch-up may be possible, but it seems almost impossible to allow Mr. Fan to retain his post and settle the matter as he wishes.

There may be various complications behind the present trouble, but we do not like to thresh them out. When the matter is considered in regard to the facts on the surface alone, we are convinced that we should not dismiss it as a mere passing incident.

In the first place, there is Bolshevist propaganda in China with Peking as a center, and the propagandists are intent on holding the Peking University itself in the palm of their hands. Some say that since the thought of the Chinese is sounder than is generally supposed, there is no need of fearing foreign propaganda. This may be partly true, but the Chinese are apt to be affected by others, and one should not entirely be optimistic.

Secondly, politics have deteriorated, that is, there is official corruption. This is the case with all, whether militarists or politicians, and it is natural that the Treasury should be involved in financial difficulties. There have been frequent riots among troops owing to the nonpayment of wages by the Government. While it is considered doubtful whether it is able to settle the results of these disturbances, another trouble has arisen with regard to educational institutions, and cultural development is being suspended. This trouble is also due to the non-payment of salaries, and it may be attributed to the action of the persons concerned in swelling their own pockets. It is necessary to pay special attention to the development of the matter and to its effects on the minds of the Chinese people. Is it not necessary for us to go a step further and take some steps to assist China in remedying the situation? It need scarcely be said that the present matter is of greater value than the question of the relief of the famine in the five provinces of North China.

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Be Happy By Not Trying Too Hard

(The Secret of Happiness. By Edmond Holines, E. P. Dutton & Co.)

An alluring title this—naming the deep desire of all the world, claiming it as a secret, and presumably offering to discover it. The great appeal of what is called the new thought in religion (probably because Plato is new to most of its students) is that it makes the same offer. But most of the literature put forth under the protection of the new thinkers is either of the sacharine type (a kind of lollypop with which to divert the pangs of intellectual hunger) or so openly panders to the great god Worldly Success as to lead one to suspect that its worshippers are not only trying to serve both God and Mammon, but that they are actually designing to make God serve Mammon.

Of no such calibre is this new book with the old title, whose text might be Emerson's eternal antithesis: "truth or repose—take which you will, you cannot have both.' It is "the history of the human soul and its relation to divinity—the only history worth any man's pursuit," to quote Hugh Walpole in a recent novel. The conclusions of the author may be summed up in three words. "Happiness is growth," but it would be manifestly unfair both to the argument and the author to let it go at that, for in his explication of his thesis lies much that is stimulating, provocative of thought and enriching to human life. This is none the less true, despite the fact that in spinning out the essential threads which go to make up the fabric of human happiness the author finds in their final tenuity a paradox before which he confesses himself defeated. On the last of his 360 pages he sums up his endeavors thus: "I have been trying to discover the secret of happiness. I have assumed that happiness is definable as a sense of well being. My meditations have convinced me that the way to well being is the way of soul growth, that the way of soul growth is the way of full surrender, since in the court of growth self has again and again been outgrown and left behind: that complete loss of self is therefore the perfection of well being, and that the sense of such well being is perfect happiness. *** But," he asks himself, "when one has reached a spiritual well being which reaches to oneness with the infinite has not well being been carried so far that it has transcended itself? When a man has lost himself in love of God will not the ideas of well being and happiness have retired of their own account into the background?"

This final agnosticism would be hopelessly depressing were the author himself no wiser than his conclusions. But he is of that gallant company to whom life is a perpetual challenge, who prefer intellectually to "journey hopefully" rather than to arrive. "In the sphere of belief," he says, "the cult of finality is the chief cause of arrested mental and moral growth. *** No lesson is so hard to learn as that of renouncing the desire for finality. No lesson, when learned, so richly rewards the learner. For it gives him the greatest of all rewards, of allowing him to approach truth eternally without ever reaching it. In doing this it keeps in constant motion the current of intuitional activity which is ever setting from the dark recess of his buried self toward his more conscious life. *** The truth of things, which is another name for the inner reality of things, is in each of us and it will gradually invade us and enfold us and possess us if we will but give up our vain dream of possessing it. *** A great faith can coexist with this seemingly agnostic attitude. A great faith and a great faith alone can make it possible. *** 'I had but little faith,' says he whose optimism binds him to silence, 'if I could say what I believe and why I believed it.'"

There is something spiritually fortifying even in this uncertain attitude of the thinker who finds himself continually through his own honest mental efforts confronted by a paradox which seems for the time to oppose a barrier to his thoughts "which they can neither face nor turn. They must therefore be content to accept defeat."

Perhaps even accepting defeat may have its own reward. "Well, what of it?" the defeated one may ask and plunge ahead, knowing that the only thing for man to do is to refuse to lie supine on the incertitude of things, but "tough mindedly," as William James says, to believe that because of their very incertitude he is bound to treat a paradox as a fair hypothesis at least.

Brother Lawrence, the Carmelite monk of the seventeenth century, liberated his soul from the haunting fear of being damned my saying to himself, "Whatever becomes of me, whether I be lost or saved, I will always continue to act purely for the love of God. And therefore," he testifies. "I passed my life in perfect liberty and perfect joy."

"No man," says our thinker, "can be at peace about God who is taking part in the scramble for the possession of him. And only those who are at peace about God have attained to spiritual well being. *** If the scramble for material possessions demoralises all who take part in it, what word will describe the deadening influence of the scramble for 'salvation' which goes on in the name of religion?"

When the old Puritans could answer "Yes" to the question, "Are you willing to be damned for the glory of God?" they had some sense of the truth of the paradox (with which the book closes) that "the more completely a man loses himself, the more completely will he be possessed by God, and to be possessed by God is to be saved, in a sense which goes far beyond all that we have ever meant, or could ever mean, by salvation."

The greatest paradox and epigram ever spoken was Christ's: "He that loseth his life shall find it."

THE CHINA PRESS MAIL SCHEDULE

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 6, 1921

Date and Destination	Per	Chi.	Br.	USA	Fr.	Jap.	Ro
TODAY.							
Japan, Honolulu, Canada, U. S. A. and Europe	Tenyo M.	14.30	..	..	..	..	14.00
Japan, H'lulu, Canada, U. S. A. and Europe via U. S. A.	Tenyo M.	..	15.00	..	..	..	14.30
Japan, H'lulu, Canada,.. U.S.A. & Europe	Tenyo M.	..	..	14.00	..	..	13.00
Vladivostok and Siberia	Via P. & H.	17.00	..	..	..	..	17.00
River Ports	Train & Str.	21.00	..	..	..	..	21.00
Hongkong	Kashima M.	..	17.00	..	..	..	..
Chefoo	Ichang	..	17.00	..	..	..	..
Hankow	Woosung	..	17.00	..	..	..	..
Vladivostok	Train	..	17.00	..	..	..	..
Ningpo	Hsin Peking	..	15.00	..	..	..	..
Tientsin	Train	..	17.00	..	..	..	..
Hankow	Train	..	17.00	..	..	..	..
TOMORROW.							
Amoy, H'kong & C'ton....	Soochow	8.00	..	..	..	..	7.30
River Ports	Train & Str.	21.00	..	..	..	..	21.00
Dairy	Kobe Maru	7.30	..	..	..	..	7.00
Amoy and Hongkong	Soochow	..	8.00	..	..	..	..
Vladivostok and Siberia	Via P. & H.	17.00	..	..	..	..	17.00
Chefoo and Newchwang	Ichang	8.00	..	..	..	..	7.30
Chefoo and Tientsin	Hsinkong	21.00	..	..	..	..	21.00
Friday, April 8.							
Swatow & Hongkong	Hangsang	..	9.00	..	..	..	..
River Ports	Train & Str.	21.00	..	..	..	..	21.00
Swatow, H'kong, C'ton ..	Hangsang	9.00	..	..	..	..	8.30
Saturday, April 9.							
S'tow, H'kong & C'ton....	Yingchow	10.00	..	..	..	..	9.30
Swatow and Hongkong	do	..	9.30	..	..	..	..
W'wei, C'foo, and T'tsin..	Fengtien	9.00	8.30	..	..	..	8.30
Japan Ports	Kumano M.	..	9.30	..	..	..	..
Japan Ports	Kumano M.	10.30	..	..	..	..	10.00
Sunday, April 10.							
H'kong, Straits, India & Europe via Suez	Kitano Maru	17.00	..	..	..	..	16.30
Monday, April 11.							
Hongkong, Straits, India & Europe via Suez	Khyber	10.00	..	..	..	..	9.30
Manila direct	Shinyo Maru	11.30	..	..	..	..	11.00
Japan, Canada, U.S.A. & Europe	Monteagle	10.00	..	..	..	..	9.30
H'kong, S. Ports, Straits, Ceylon, India & Europe via Suez	Khyber	..	A10.00	..	..	..	10.00
Japan Ports	Kasuga Maru	19.00	..	..	..	..	18.30
Hongkong	Kitano Maru	..	9.00	..	..	..	..
Tuesday, April 12.							
Hongkong and Canton ...	Shantung	13.00	..	..	..	..	12.36
Hongkong	do	..	12.30	..	..	..	..
Thursday April 14.							
Amoy, H'kong & C'ton....	Sunning	13.00	..	..	..	..	12.36
U. S. A. via S. Francisco	*W. Jena	17.00	..	..	..	..	..
U.S.A. via Seattle	*West Ivis	17.00	..	..	..	..	..
Friday, April 15.							
H'kong, Straits, India & Europe via Suez	Chili	13.00	..	..	..	..	14.30

*Parcel mail only.

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HANKOW & PORTS.—The China Navigation Co.'s Str. **Woosung**, Capt. C. C. Williams, will leave from the French Bund on Wednesday, April 6, at about 12 o'clock midnight. For Freight or Passage, apply to **BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE**, Agents French Bund. Freight Tel. No. 77, Passage Tel. No. 401.

HANKOW & PORTS.—The Str. **Kiangwah**, Captain Illwain, will leave on Thursday, April 7, at midnight. For Freight or Passage apply to C.M.S.N. Co.

HANKOW & PORTS.—The Indo-China S. N. Co.'s S.S. **Wosang**, 1,783 Tons, Captain Forster, will sail for the above-mentioned ports from Old Ningpo Wharf on Thursday, April 7, at about midnight. For Freight or Passage apply to JARDINE, MATHESON AND CO., LTD., General Managers. Tel. Central 241. Extension to Freight and Departments.

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HANKOW & PORTS.—The China Navigation Co.'s Steamer **Poyang**, Capt. F. McGarity, will leave from the French Bund on Monday, April 11, at about 12 o'clock midnight. For Freight or Passage, apply to **BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE**, Agents French Bund. Freight Tel. No. 77, Passage Tel. No. 401.

HANKOW & PORTS.—The China Navigation Co.'s Steamer **Luenyi**, Captain Frazier, will leave from the French Bund on Tuesday, April 12, at about 12 o'clock midnight. For Freight or Passage, apply to **BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE**, Agents French Bund. Freight Tel. No. 77, Passage Tel. No. 401.

For Southern Ports

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WENCHOW. — The Steamer **Kwangchi**, Captain Evensen, will leave on Wednesday morning, April 6. For Freight or Passage apply to C.M.S.N. Co.

NINGPO.—The Str. **Kiangteen**, Capt. H. Randby, will leave on Thursday, April 7, at 3:30 p.m. For Freight or Passage apply to C.M.S.N. Co.

AMOY, H'KONG & C'TON.—The China Navigation Co.'s Steamer **Soochow**, Captain D. R. Davies, will leave from the French Bund on Thursday, April 7, at 9 a.m. For Freight or Passage, apply to **BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE**, Agents French Bund. Freight Tel. No. 77, Passage Tel. No. 401.

SWATOW, H'KONG & C'TON.—China Navigation Co.'s Steamer **Yingchow**, Captain G. Byers, will leave from the French Bund on Saturday, April 9, at 11 a.m. For Freight or Passage, apply to **BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE**, Agent Freight Tel. 77 and Passage Tel. 401.

HONGKONG AND CANTON.—The China Navigation Co.'s Str. **Shantung**, Capt. E. Monkman, will leave from the French Bund on Tuesday, Apr. 12, at 2 p.m. Freight or Passage apply to **BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents. Freight Tel. No. 77, Passage Tel. No. 401.**

AMOY H'KONG AND CANTON.—TheChina Navigation Co.'s Steamer **Sunning**, Capt. H. A. Wavell, will leave from the French Bund on Thursday, Apr. 14, at 2 p.m. For Freight or Passage apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents. Freight Tel. No. 77, Passage Tel. No. 401.

For Northern Ports

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C'FOO & TIENTSIN.—The Str. **Hsinkong**, Capt. Smith, will leave on Friday morning, April 8. For Freight or Passage, apply to C.M.S.N. Co.

W'WEI, C'FOO & TIENTSIN.—The China Navigation Co.'s Str. **Fengtien**, Capt. C. A. Christiansen will leave from the French Bund on Saturday, April 9, at 10 a.m. For Freight or Passage, apply to **BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE**, Agents French Bund. Freight Tel. No. 77, Passage Tel. No. 401.

TSINGTAO.—The China Navigation Co.'s Steamer **Suiyang**, Captain W. Shane, will leave from the **Watung** Wharf on Saturday, April 9, at 11 a.m. For Freight or Passage, apply to **BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents French Bund. Freight Tel. No. 77, Passage Tel. No. 401.**

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Amazone, *Marseilles*	Apr.	10
Chicugo Maru, *Japan*	Apr.	13
Dunera, *Bombay*	Apr.	9
Esang, *Hankow*	Apr.	11
Fengtien, *Tientsin*	Apr.	6
Feicheng, *Foochow*	Apr.	6
G. State, *S. Francisco*	Apr.	10
Hangsang, *Hongkong*	Apr.	6
Haean, *Wenchow*	Apr.	8
Hsinkong, *Tientsin*	Apr.	7
Hsin Ningshao, *Ningpo*	Apr.	6
Hsin Peking, *Ningpo*	Apr.	6
Hwahta, *Hankow*	Apr.	8
Hwahlee, *Hankow*	Apr.	7
Irene, *Swatow*	Apr.	8
Kashima Maru, *Seattle*	Apr.	7
Kiangan, *Hankow*	Apr.	9
Kiangteen, *Ningpo*	Apr.	7
Kiangyu, *Hankow*	Apr.	12
Kingsing, *Tientsin*	Apr.	8
Kumano Maru, *Japan*	Apr.	6
Kutwo, *Hankow*	Apr.	13
Kasuga Maru, *Japan*	Apr.	9
Kiangfoo, *Hankow*	Apr.	11
Luenyi, *Hankow*	Apr.	10
Loongwo, *Hankow*	Apr.	7
Luenho, *Hankow*	Apr.	9
Monteagle, *Hongkong*	Apr.	11
Ngankin, *Hankow*	Apr.	13
Omi Maru, *Japan*	Apr.	10
Orestes, *U. Kingdom*	Apr.	12
Poyang, *Hankow*	Apr.	9
Pyrrhus, *U. Kingdom*	Apr.	7
Shuntien, *Tientsin*	Apr.	13
Suiyang, *Hongkong*	Apr.	7
Szechuen, *Hongkong*	Apr.	9
Shinyo Maru, *S. Francisco*	Apr.	11
Sunning, *Hongkong*	Apr.	11
Suiwo, *Hankow*	Apr.	10
Takeshima Maru, *Japan*	Apr.	12
Tehhsing, *Hankow*	Apr.	10
Tungchow, *Tientsin*	Apr.	10
Tatung, *Hankow*	Apr.	7
Tenyo Maru, *Hongkong*	Apr.	6
Wingsang, *Hongkong*	Apr.	10
Wosang, *Hankow*	Apr.	6
Woosung, *Hankow*	Apr.	6
Wuchang, *Hankow*	Apr.	11
Yangtse, *Antwerp*	Apr.	10
Yingchow, *Tsingtao*	Apr.	7

Future Sailings

FOR AMERICA AND CANADA

Date	Time	Destination	Ship's Name	Flag	Agents
Apr. 6	4.00	San Francisco	†Tenyo Maru	Jap.	T. K. K.
Apr. 11	—	Vancouver	†Monteagle	Br.	C. P. O. S.
Apr. 13	—	Seattle	West Ivis	Am.	S. & Dix
Apr. 16	—	Portland, Ore.	Bearport	Am.	Ch. P. Co.
Apr. 20	—	New York, ports	Durban Maru	Jap.	N. Y. K.
Apr. 23	—	San Francisco	†Venezuela	Am.	P.M.S.S. Co.
Apr. 24	—	San Francisco	†Nile	Br.	China Mail
Apr. 24	—	Seattle	Kashima Maru	Jap.	N. Y. K.
Apr. 26	—	New York via Suez	K. Companion	Br.	B. & S.
Apr. 26	—	Seattle, ports	Cross Keys	Am.	Adl. Line
Apr. 28	—	San Francisco	West Jena	Am.	S. & Dix
Apr. 28	—	New York	Mulpua	Am.	Adl. Line
Apr. 28	—	San Francisco	†Golden State	Am.	P.M.S.S. Co.
Apr. 30	—	Vancouver	†E. of Russia	Br.	C. P. O. S.
Apr. 30	—	San Francisco	†Shinyo Maru	Jap.	T. K. K.
May 6	—	Portland	Montague	Am.	Adl. Line
May 7	—	Seattle, ports	West Jessup	Am.	S. & Dix
May. 7	—	Portland, Ore.	West Kader	Am.	Ch. P. Co.
May 10	—	New York, ports	Harold Dollar	Br.	Dollar Co.
May 17	—	Seattle, ports	†Wenatchee	Am.	Adl. Line
May 20	—	Vancouver	†E. of Japan	Br.	C. P. O. S.
May 21	—	San Francisco	†Ecuador	Am.	P.M.S.S. Co.
May 21	—	San Francisco	†China	Am.	China Mail
May 25	—	New York v. Suez	M. S. Dollar	Br.	Dollar Co.
May 28	—	Vancouver	†E. of Asia	Br.	C. P. O. S.
June 5	—	New York v. Suez	Robert Dollar	Br.	Dollar Co.
June 5	—	New York v. Pma	Melville Dollar	Br.	Dollar Co.
June 18	—	Vancouver	†Monteagle	Br.	C. P. O. S.

FOR JAPAN PORTS

Apr. 6	9.00*	Kobe	Kwaisang	Br.	J. M. & Co.
Apr. 6	—	Moji, Kobe, Osaka	Yamashiro M.	Jap.	N. Y. K.
Apr. 9	—	Moji, Kobe, Osaka	Kumano Maru	Jap.	N. Y. K.
Apr. 12	—	N'saki, Kobe, Y'hama	Kasuga Maru	Jap.	N. Y. K.
Apr. 13	—	Moji, Kobe, Osaka	Omi Maru	Jap.	N. Y. K.
Apr. 15	—	N'saki, Kobe, Y'hama	Takeshima M.	Jap.	N. Y. K.
Apr. 16	—	Moji, Kobe, Osaka	Chikugo M.	Jap.	N. Y. K.

FOR EUROPE INDIA, STRAITS, ETC.

Apr. 6	9.00*	Culcutto, ports	Kwaisang	Br.	J. M. & Co.
Apr. 7	—	Liverpool, ports	Idomeneus	Br.	B. & S.
Apr. 7	—	Hamburg, ports	Theseus	Br.	B. & S.
Apr. 11	—	London, ports	Kitano Maru	Jap.	N. Y. K.
Apr. 11	—	London, ports	†Khyber	Br.	M. M. & Co
Apr. 13	—	Bombay	†Dunera	Br.	M. M. & Co
Apr. 14	—	Glasgow, ports	Ajax	Br.	B. & S.
Apr. 14	—	Antwerp, ports	Atreus	Br.	B. & S.
Apr. 15	2.00	Marseilles, ports	†Chili	Fr.	M. M. Cie
Apr. 21	—	Hamburg, ports	Nipenor	Br.	B. & S.
Apr. 21	—	London, ports	Matsuye Maru	Jap.	N. Y. K.
Apr. 25	—	London, ports	Inaba Maru	Jap.	N. Y. K.
Apr. 25	—	London, ports	†Soudan	Br.	M. M. & Co.
Apr. 28	—	Antwerp, ports	Pyrrhus	Br.	B. & S.
Apr. 29	—	Bombay, ports	†Dilwara	Br.	M. M. & Co
May 2	—	Liverpool, ports	Antilochus	Br.	B. & S.
May 5	—	Genoa, Liverpool	Orestes	Br.	B. & S.
May 9	—	London, ports	†Nagoya	Br.	M. M. & Co
May 18	—	Hamburg, ports	Boeroe	Dut.	H. C. T. Co
May 12	—	Antwerp, ports	Demodocus	Br.	B. & S.
May 17	—	Liverpool, ports	Tydous	Br.	B. & S.
May 24	—	Liverpool	Hector	Br.	B. & S.
May 26	—	Antwerp, ports	Agapenor	Br.	B. & S.
June 9	—	Hamburg, ports	Machaon	Br.	B. & S.
June 9	—	Liverpool, ports	Euryades	Br.	B. & S.
June 18	—	Liverpool, ports	Bellerophon	Br.	B. & S.

FOR SOUTHERN PORTS

Apr. 6	4.30	Ningpo	Hsin Peking	Br.	B. & S.
Apr. 6	5.00	Ningpo	Hsin Ningshao	Chi.	N.S.S.N. Co.
Apr. 6	—	Manila & Hongkong	Cross Keys	Am.	A. Line
Apr. 6	9.00*	S. H'kong, C'ton	Choysang	Br.	J. M. & Co.
Apr. 6	—	Wenchow	Kwangchi	Chi.	C.M.S.N. Co.
Apr. 6	9.00*	Swatow & Hongkong	Wenchow	Br.	B. & S.
Apr. 7	3.30	Ningpo	Kiangteen	Chi.	C.M.S.N. Co.
Apr. 7	9.00*	A. H'kong, C'ton	Soochow	Br.	B. & S.
Apr. 8	—	Hongkong	Kashima Maru	Jap.	N. Y. K.
Apr. 8	11.00*	S. H'kong, C'ton	Hangsang	Br.	J. M. & Co.
Apr. 9	11.00*	S. H'kong, C'ton	Yingchow	Br.	B. & S.
Apr. 11	—	Manila & Hongkong	Shinyo Maru	Jap.	T. K. K.
Apr. 11	—	Manila & Hongkong	Golden State	Am.	P.M.S.S. Co.
Apr. 12	2.00	Hongkong & Canton	Shantung	Br.	B. & S.
Apr. 12	—	Hongkong, Manila	Melville Dollar	Br.	Dollar Co.
Apr. 12	D.L.	S. H'kong, C'ton	Hopsang	Br.	J. M. & Co.
Apr. 14	2.00	A. H'kong, C'ton	Sunning	Br.	B. & S.
Apr. 22	—	Hongkong, Manila	Harold Dollar	Br.	Dollar Co.
Apr. 25	—	Hongkong, S'pore	China	Am.	China Mail
Apr. 28	—	Hongkong, Manila	Wenatchee	Am.	A. Line
Apr. 30	—	Manila, Hongkong	Ecuador	Am.	P.M.S.S. Co.

FOR NORTHERN PORTS

Apr. 6	—	Chinwangtao	Kaiping	Br.	K. M. A.
Apr. 6	9.00*	Tsingtao	Hopsang	Br.	J. M. & Co.
Apr. 7	9.00*	Chefoo, Newchwang	Ichang	Br.	B. & S.
Apr. 7	9.30*	Dairen & Tsingtoo	Kobe Maru	Jap.	S.M.R. Co.
Apr. 8	—	Chefoo, Tientsin	Hsinkong	Chi.	C.M.S.N. Co.
Apr. 9	—	Tientsin	Kwangping	Br.	K. M. A.
Apr. 9	10.00*	W'wei, C'foo, T'tsin	Fengtien	Br.	B. & S.
Apr. 9	11.00*	Tsingtao	Suiyang	Br.	B. & S.
Apr. 10	2.00	Vladivostok	Yungshin	Chi.	L.V. Lang
Apr. 10	—	Tientsin, ports	Keelung M.	Jap.	C. P. O. S.
Apr. 12	2.00	W'wei, C'foo, T'tsin	Kingsing	Br.	J. M. & Co.

FOR RIVER PORTS

Apr. 6	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Kiangyung	Chi.	C.M.S.N. Co.
Apr. 6	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Woosung	Br.	J. M. & Co.
Apr. 7	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Kiangwah	Chi.	C.M.S.N. Co.
Apr. 7	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Wosang	Br.	J. M. & Co.
Apr. 7	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Tatung	Br.	B. & S.
Apr. 7	9.00*	Pukow	Hangsang	Br.	J. M. & Co.
Apr. 8	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Hwahlee	Chi.	S.P.S.N. Co.
Apr. 8	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Loongwo	Br.	J. M. & Co.
Apr. 8	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Chungking	Br.	B. & S.
Apr. 9	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Whangpu	Br.	B. & S.
Apr. 10	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Hwahta	Chi.	C.M.S.N. Co.
Apr. 11	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Kiangan	Chi.	C.M.S.N. Co.
Apr. 11	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Luenho	Br.	J. M. & Co.
Apr. 11	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Poyang	Br.	B. & S.
Apr. 12	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Tehhsing	Chi.	S.P.S.N. Co.
Apr. 12	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Suiwo	Br.	J. M. & Co.
Apr. 12	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Luenyi	Br.	B. & S.
Apr. 13	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Feang	Br.	J. M. & Co
Apr. 13	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Kiangfoo	Chi.	C.M.S.N. Co.
Apr. 13	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Wuchang	Br.	B. & S.

* A. M. M.N.—MIDNIGHT D.L.—DAYLIGHT
† CARRYING MAIL.

Information For Mariners

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 6, 1921

High Water at Woosung Bar

(The morning tides are higher than the evening tides, they are equal at noon and midnight).

Approximate rise, at springs 4 1/4 h; at heaps, 5 h.
fall, at springs 8 1/4 h; at heaps, 7½ h.

A.M. Time	A.M. Rangs	P.M. Time	P.M. Rangs
11h. 20m.	7ft. 4in.	11h. 38m.	8ft. 8in.

Hight Water at Tungsha Lightship

(The morning tides are higher than the evening tides).
Approximate rise, 5 1/2 h; approximate fall, 7 h.

A.M. H.	A.M. M.	P.M. H.	P.M. M.
10	15	10	32

Time of Moonrise,, Moonset, Sunrise, Sunset

Moon Rises	Moon Sets	Sun Rises	Sun Sets	Daylight	Dark
4.16 a.m.	4.31 p.m.	5h. 46m.	6h. 20m.	5h. 1m.	7h. 5m.

Mean Barometric Pressure at Shanghai
For April 30.00 in.
762.0 mm.

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S.S. "SHANTUNG" .....sails April 12th, at 2 p.m.

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	Leave Shanghai	Leave Yokohama	Due Vancouver
Monteagle	Apr. 11	Apr. 17	May 1
Empress of Russia	Apr. 30	May 7	May 16
Empress of Japan	May 20	May 26	June 7
Empress of Asia	May 28	June 4	June 13
Monteagle	June 18	June 24	July 8
Empress of Russia	June 25	July 2	July 11
Empress of Japan	July 16	July 22	Aug. 3

TO HONGKONG VIA MANILA
Emp. of Asia .. May 14
Emp. of Russia June 11
Emp. of Asia ... July 9
Emp. of Russia Aug. 6

TO HONGKONG DIRECT
Emp. of Japan May 9
Monteagle .... June 2
Emp. of Japan .. July 5
Monteagle..... Aug. 8

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S.S. Ecuador	May 21	*S.S. Colombia	May 29
S.S. Colombia	June 9		

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S.S. "CHINA"	May 21	June 13
S.S. "NANKING"	June 19	July 11

FOR HONGKONG AND MANILA DIRECT
S.S. "NANKING" May 30
S.S. "NANKING" Aug. 15

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S.S. "CHINA" April 25
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INABA MARU ..... 12,500 Capt. K. Hayashi, April 25

EUROPEAN LINE CARGO SERVICE

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KAMAKURA MARU 12,500 Capt. Y. Kawashima, Middle of May

For London, North Continental Ports via Ports:

FOR VICTORIA AND SEATTLE Via Nagasaki, Kobe, Yokohama.

KASHIMA MARU ...19,000 Capt. K. Itsuno, April 24
SUWA MARU ..... 21,000 Capt. M. Machida, May 15

FOR VICTORIA AND SEATTLE (Sailing from Kobe).

KATORI MARU .... 19,000 Capt. K. Yoshikawa, April 10

FOR SAN FRANCISCO, NEW YORK AND BOSTON Via Panama.

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DURBAN MARU.... 10,000 Capt. E. Takahashi, April 20

FOR SOUTH AMERICAN (Sailing from Kobe).

For Buenos Ayres, Santos, Rio de Janeiro via Durban and Cape Town:—
KAWACHI MARU .. 12,500 Capt. J. Tsuji, April 28

FOR YOKOHAMA VIA NAGASAKI, MOJI AND KOBE.

KASUGA MARU .... 7,000 Capt. M. Nakamura, April 12
TAKESHIMA MARU. 4,500 Capt. T. Takechi, April 15
YAWATA MARU.... 7,000 Capt. H. Kawai, April 22

FOR KOBE AND OSAKA VIA MOJI (Osaka may be omitted).

KUMANO MARU .... 9,500 Capt. K. Kobayashi, April 9
OMI MARU ..... 7,000 Capt. S. Shiratori, April 13
CHIKUGO MARU ....6,500 Capt. M. Tsuruga, April 16
YAMASHIRO MARU ..7,000 Capt. T. Kusakart, April 20

FOR KOBE DIRECT.

IYO MARU ..... 12,500 Capt. S. Hirata, April 19

FOR HONGKONG.

KASHIMA MARU .. 19,000 Capt. K. Itsuno, April 8

FOR MANILA AND HONGKONG.

FUSHIMI MARU ... 21,000 Capt. R. Shimizu, May 17

FOR AUSTRALIA (Sailing from Hongkong).

For Manila, Zamboanga, Thursday Isl., Townsville, Brisbane, Sydney, Melbourne:—
NIKKO MARU ..... 10,000 Capt. J. Kusano, April 19
AKI MARU ..... 12,500 Capt. G. Shinomiya, May 17
TANGO MARU .... 14,000 Capt. S. Saito, June 21

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ARABIA MARU .... 18,000 K. Komiya, Apr. 14 Apr. 16

FOR HONGKONG.

AFRICA MARU .... 18,000 M. Ohyama, May 14 May 15

FOR NORTH CHINA PORTS, For Dairen via Tientsin

KEELUNG MARU ... 3,000 Kamisawa, Apr. 7 Apr. 10

FOR FORMOSA, For Takao via Keelung.

KEELUNG MARU ... 3,000 Kamisawa, Apr. 23 Apr. 25

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Shipping Items

The P.M. s.s. Ecuador was due to sail from San Francisco on Saturday and is expected to arrive in Shanghai by way of Honolulu, Yokohama and Kobe on April 29.

The I-C. s.s. Wosang left Hankow for Shanghai on Sunday.

The C.N. s.s. Woosung left Hankow for Shanghai on Sunday.

The C.N. s.s. Suiyang left Hongkong for Shanghai on Sunday.

The C.N. s.s. Fengtien left Tientsin for Chefoo, Weihaiwei and Shanghai on Sunday.

The C.M. s.s. Feiching left Foochow for Shanghai on Monday.

The M.M. s.s. Yangtse, from London and ports, was due at Hongkong Sunday at noon and is expected to arrive in Shanghai on April 10.

The M.M. s.s. Amazone, with the French mails of March 2, left Saigon at 10 a.m. Sunday and is expected to arrive in Shanghai on April 10.

The P. and O. s.s. Kidderpore is expected to leave Bombay for Straits, Hongkong and Shanghai tomorrow.

The P. and O. s.s. Nagoya, from London on March 3, is expected to leave Singapore for Hongkong and Shanghai today.

The S.P. s.s. Hwahlee left Hankow for Shanghai on Monday.

The C.N. s.s. Tatung left Hankow for Shanghai on Monday.

The I-C. s.s. Loongwo left Hankow for Shanghai on Monday.

The C.M. s.s. Hwahta left Hankow for Shanghai yesterday.

The C.N. s.s. Szechuen left Hongkong for Shanghai yesterday.

The C.N. s.s. Yingchow left Tsingtao for Shanghai yesterday.

The China Mail s.s. China left San Francisco on Thursday as per schedule and is due in Shanghai by way of Honolulu, Yokohama and Nagasaki on April 24. The China is due to sail for Hongkong and Singapore on April 25.

The T.K.K. s.s. Tenyo Maru left Hongkong on Sunday and was due at Woosung at midnight last night. The tender with inbound passengers is expected to reach the Customs jetty about 9:30 o'clock this morning. The Tenyo sails for San Francisco by way of Japan ports and Honolulu tonight and the tender with outgoing passengers and baggage will leave at 4 o'clock this afternoon.

The N.Y.K. s.s. Kumano Maru left Moji for Shanghai on Monday and is due to arrival at the N.Y.K. Wharf today.

The C.M. s.s. Kiangan will leave Hankow for Shanghai today.

The I-C. s.s. Luenho will leave Hankow for Shanghai today.

The C.N. s.s. Poyang will leave Hankow for Shanghai today.

The I-C. s.s. Kingsing is expected to arrive in Shanghai from Tientsin and Chefoo on Friday.

The C.M. s.s. Hsinkong left Tientsin for Chefoo and Shanghai on Monday.

The S.M.R. s.s. Kobe Maru is expected to arrive in Shanghai from Dairen and Tsingtao this morning and will sail for same ports at 9:30 o'clock tomorrow morning. The tender with passengers and baggage will leave the Customs Jetty at 8.30 a.m.

The P. & O. s.s. Dilwara is expected to leave Bombay for Hongkong and Shanghai next Sunday.

The S.P. s.s. Tehhsing will leave Hankow for Shanghai tomorrow.

The I-C. s.s. Suiwo will leave Hankow for Shanghai tomorrow.

The C.N. s.s. Luenyi will leave Hankow for Shanghai tomorrow.

The C.N. s.s. Sunning will leave Hongkong for Shanghai tomorrow.

The C.N. s.s. Tungchow will leave Tientsin for Chefoo, Weihaiwei and Shanghai tomorrow.

The I-C. s.s. Wingsang is expected to arrive in Shanghai from Canton, Hongkong and Swatow on Sunday.

The C.M. s.s. Irene left Swatow for Amoy and Shanghai yesterday.

The C.M. s.s. Haean will leave Wenchow for Shanghai tomorrow.

The N.Y.K. s.s. Kasuga Maru will leave Nagasaki for Shanghai tomorrow and is expected to arrive at the Wayside Wharf on Saturday.

The N.Y.K. s.s. Kashima Maru is expected to arrive in Shanghai from Seattle and ports tomorrow and will dock at the Wayside Wharf. The Kashima sails for Hongkong on Friday.

The P. & O. s.s. Dunera, from Bombay on March 14, will leave Hongkong at 10 o'clock this morning and is expected to arrive in Shanghai on Saturday.

The Adl. Line s.s. Cross Keys arrived at Taku Bar from Kobe on March 31.

The Adl. Line s.s. Easterling arrived at Milke from Philadelphia on April 1.

The Adl. Line s.s. Montague arrived at Yokohama from Portland on April 1.

The Adl. Line s.s. Chicomico arrived at Cevite from Honolulu on April 1.

The Adl. Line s.s. Wenatchee left San Francisco for Seattle on Saturday, April 2.

The Adl. Line s.s. West Campgaw left Amoy for Swatow on April 1.

The Blue Funnel s.s. Orestes, from United Kingdom, left Singapore for Shanghai on Monday.

The Blue Funnel s.s. Pyrrhus, from United Kingdom, left Hongkong for Shanghai on Monday.

The K.M.A. s.s. Taihei Maru (charactered) left Chinwangtao for Shanghai on April 3.

The K.M.A. s.s. Hero (charactered) left Chinwangtao for Foochow on April 4.

Passengers Departed

Per C.N. s.s. Hsin Peking from Ningpo: Mr. and Mrs. McLeod, Mrs. Sung, Mr. Miller, Mrs Kohta, Misses Sargent, Willis.

Per C.N. s.s. Ngankin for Wuhu: Mrs. L. H. Drakeford and 2 children; for Hankow: Mr. C. Love, Miss Jennings.

Per C.N. s.s. Sinkiang for Hongkong: Mr. and Mrs. Wykeham, Mr. and Mrs. E. Elinquist, Mr. G. B. Pattison.

Per C.N. s.s. Shuntien for Weihaiwei: Messrs. E. E. Clark, L. Midwood; for Chefoo: Mr. and Mrs. Stephens; for Tientsin: Mrs. Smith, Misses Smith, Carruthers, Davenport, Mr. and Mrs. Moore, Messrs. Smith, Anderson, Fogg, W. Laidlaw.

Per I-C. s.s. Tuckwo for Hankow: Mr. and Mrs. Williams and infant, Mr. Stewart, Capt. and Mrs. Hetherington, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Ralph.

Per I-C. s.s. Choysang for Swatow: Mr. and Mrs. Butcher.

Per C.M. s.s. Kiangteen for Ningpo: Arch Deacon and Mrs. Moule.

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Siccawei Weather Reports

4.—The anticyclone is central to the Yangtsze estuary. A new depression has appeared to the N. of Peking and is travelling E.S.E. The depression over Northern Japan has become rather violent. Easterly winds South of the 35th parallel and cyclonic circulation in the North. Cloudy at times but fine weather all over eastern China. Misty in the Tongking Gulf.

5.—Cloudy but rather fine weather. The pressure is normal. The wind is from the N.E. and the strength is increasing.

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Emp. of Japan ..... Mar. 25
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Nankin ..... Mar. 31
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Telamon ..... Mar. 14
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LLOYD GEORGE IS SAFE IN POWER TWO YEARS MORE

London Newspapers Drop Talk Of Approaching General Election

TASK NOT YET COMPLETE

Winston Churchill Looked Upon As Man Who May Oust Premier

London, Feb. 5.—The return of Lloyd George of London after the conference of the allied Premiers in Paris brought a downpour of cold water on widespread talk to the effect that general elections were to be called in which the Government would place its cause before the people and expect from them a vote of confidence. During the Premier's absence in Paris all sorts of gossip, led by Lord Northcliffe's newspapers, was heard. It was reported that the ballots for the elections had been ordered printed; that the elections would be held in June, and the prediction was made that Lloyd George would lose much of his power unless he made a sweeping victory in Paris and took steps immediately to slice the budget.

But the Premier a few hours after his return here characteristically swept all this gossip aside and now the London press has unanimously faced about, saying no elections are forthcoming.

ELECTION TALK PURE INVENTION

At both the Unionist and Liberal coalition offices emphatic and unequivocal denial was made of reports that an election has been considered. They said that neither instructions nor hint had been received to the effect that one would be held.

"General election talk is pure invention," said Sir George Younger, Coalition-Unionist member of Parliament, who has been reported as pulling away from Andrew Bonar Law in the Unionist ranks. "I do not regard an election as at all probable for some time to come. The Government was elected in order to carry out the policy with which it went before the country and to hold the reins of office during the difficult and dangerous period of reconstruction after the war, and it is its duty to complete this program. It would really be betraying the confidence of those who returned the Government if it failed to discharge its trust before again appealing to the electorate."

Lord Derby, formerly British Ambassador to France and a power among the Lancashire Unionists, is remaining neutral despite predictions that he was planning an attack on the Lloyd George government. He was offered the War Office, but refused it, owing, he said, to private interests. This led to the belief he was planning a counter attack, but it has failed to materialise. He says he only wishes to remain independent and it would not break his heart if he was never again offered a political office. He favors a close alliance with France, a revision of the Turkish treaty and strict economy in Government expenditures. He opposes the protectionist group in the Unionist party.

TWO CECILS IN OPPOSITION

When Parliament opens the two Cecils—Lord Hugh and Lord Robert—will take the Opposition bench instead of backing up the Coalition. This will greatly strengthen the Opposition, and best observers here believe it means the beginning of the dissolution of the Coalition. However, it is admitted in many quarters that the Government will have plenty of strength to carry on successfully for some time to come.

The New York Herald correspondent here learned authoritatively that at a secret meeting of the National Liberal Club last week it was decided that, despite a split in the Coalition, Premier Lloyd George was strong enough to remain in power for another two years.

Wisest political prognosticators here are looking to Winston Churchill as the man who probably will overthrow Lloyd George ultimately. Churchill is going to the Colonial Office, but it is expected he will not be contented there unless there is given to him a wide range of power, including Mesopotamia, which is now under the India Office. Observers here also consider it significant that he has been sojourning on the Riviera with Lord Northcliffe, whose present great object in life seems to be to throw Lloyd George out of the Premiership.

Mr. Churchill will inherit the estate of his cousin, Lord Herbert Vane Tempest, who died of injuries which he received in a railroad wreck near Abermule, Wales, on January 26. The estate, Garron Tower, Antrim, yields about £5,000 a year.

Unclaimed Mail At U.S. Consulate

Mail matter addressed in care of the American Consulate-General, Shanghai, remains uncalled for as follows on March 31, 1921:

Abramson, Joe (1).
Anderson, Miss Susanna (1).
Archer, R. J. (1).

Bagby, Mrs. Marguerite (4).
Barber, Maurice (1).
Barber, Mrs. (1).
Barnes, Capt. P. A. (1).
Barnes, John R., Jr. (2).
Bell, Clayton M. (1).
Benton, J. C. (3).
Biege, Peter (1).
Boedley, J. Claypoole (1).
Bosenhart, Geo. P. (5).
Boss, G. H. (1).
Broido, Miss Rohel (1).
Browers, Walter (1).
Brown, F. W. (3).
Bryant, Garvey (3).
Burke, James E. (1).
Burns, Theo. (1).
Buze, Thorwald (1).

Campbell, T. W. (2).
Carman, W. H. (1).
Casore, Pete (1).
Chefalo and Palermo (2).
Clark, Manchestor B. (1).

Davies, C. A. (1).
Dell, Clyde (1).
Dolan, Frank J. (1).
Dometrovich, John (1).
Dooley, Ralph C. (2).
Dow, Francis N. (1).

Edelman, M. (6).
Edens, Charles N. (1).
Eddo, H. J. (2).

Farmer, Miss F. E. W. (1).
Farrington, Harold (1).
Ferrer, Luis Fralle (1).
Finch, John W. (1).
Finucan, Michael J. (1).
Ford, Dr. D. E. (1).
Fudy, Thomas A. (1).
Franklin, Barney (1).
Froberg, C. (1).

Gertsch, Fraulein Berthe (1).
Gottlieb, C. (3).
Graves, Wm. (1).
Gustafsson, William (3).

Hall, Henry, Jr. (1).
Harvey, Mrs. Anna (1).
Hausman, Ed. R. (1).
Hawley, Darrell B. (1).
Heaps, James (1).
Heller, Roy (1).
Heery, J. M. (3).
Hickey, E. V. (1).
Hilat, John, Jr. (1).
Hirsh, Harry W. (2).
Holland, F. (1).

Irle, Kenneth W. (1).

Jahn, Elmer W. (1).
Johnson, Benjamin O. (1).
Johnson, Mrs. B. O. (1).
Johnson, Ernest (1).
Johnson, H. (1).
Jones, E. G. (1).
Jordhay, George C. (1).

Kearns, Miss F. G. (1).
Kieffler, Carl A. (2).
Klinghofer, Theo. (2).
Korn, Gersten (1).
Kramer, Henry (1).
Lane, Edward (1).
Lane, Lee Britton (1).
Lauderdale, Mrs. C. E. (1).
Laurence, F. (1).
Lee, Francis Edwin (1).
Levey, Mrs. M. E. (2).
Loomis, B. T. (1).
Lynch, P. C. (2).

MacFarland, E. P. (1).
MacIntosh, R. L. (1).
Maloney, D. O. (4).
Marshall, R. C. (1).
Martin, Mrs. Geo. W. (1).
Martin, Samuel L. (1).
Martinez, Marcelino (1).
Miller, Carroll E. (1).
Miller, Gerry (1).
Miller, Frank (1).
Miller, W. D., Jr. (1).
Miller, Morris (1).
Millman, Ross (1).
Moriarty, M. (1).
Moore, Ralph H. (1).
Mosher, W. C. (1).
Mull, R. E. (1).
Mushon, Fred Hansa (6).
Murray, Rea (1).
Murphy, Herman (2).

O'Leary, J. S. W. (1).
Osgood, Claude J. (1).

Parelli, Edwin (1).
Pearsall B. S. (1).
Pettersson, Melker (1).
Polk, Lt. Samuel T. (1).
Powell, Hamilton (2).
Prather, J. W. (1).
Pratt, Richard Septimus (2).

Ramp, Floyd (1).
Rawlins, Geo. (1).
Rice, Watson W. (1).
Robbins, Albert H. (1).
Rodwell, J. M. (1).
Rogers, Capt. Henry Welsh (1).
Rudd, Willie E. (1).
Russell, Mrs. J. H. (1).

Sagne, Miss Katherine N. (6).
Sagle, Mrs. J. K. (1).
Sahlein, Mrs. J. K. (1).
Schaefer, Edward J. (6).
Sellers, C. J. (1).
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Smith, Ed. E. (2).
Smith, E. W. (1).
Swansen, Fred (1).
Sylvia, Mrs. Earle D. (1).

Thompson, Miss B. (1).
Tiffany, Al (1).
Timofeev, Michael A. (1).
Toby, Mrs. S. T. (1).
Tucker, Walter (1).

Ushatsk, P. (1).

Van Dyne, George W. (1).

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